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Introduction

The 1984 New Mexico Statistical Abstract is a continuation of the first edition of the state statistical abstract issued by the Bureau of Business and Economic Research in 1970. The 1984 edition updates much of the information provided in that first edition.

The Abstract contains 96 tables and 12 maps and graphs grouped under 20 major subject headings. Historical coverage varies among the tables but provides the user with essential information. In addition, each of New Mexico's 33 counties is profiled. Information on New Mexico's newest county, Cibola, is presented whenever available.

Sources of the data are identified in footnotes accompanying each table. A number of state agencies have been important sources of information, specifically the New Mexico Departments of Employment Security, Taxation and Revenue, Highway, Education, Health and Environment, and Human Services. Federal publications have also been used, including data from the Departments of Commerce, Agriculture, and Interior. In addition, private companies such as Dun & Bradstreet, Inc. and McGraw-Hill, Inc. have supplied information.

It is our hope that the series contained in this new Statistical Abstract will prove useful. The Bureau has long been recognized as the primary source of such information in New Mexico. We will continue to serve New Mexico citizens and other persons interested in the state.

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Agriculture

FARM SIZES AND VALUES--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	1974			1978		
	Number	Average Size (Acres)	Average Value of Land & Buildings	Number	Average Size (Acres)	Average Value of Land & Buildings
STATE	11,282	4,170	$ 323,418	14,253	3,389	$ 481,954
Bernalillo	234	1,581	550,724	375	1,118	376,553
Catron	189	8,873	428,147	217	6,971	620,023
Chaves	517	5,361	375,117	555	5,604	710,560
Colfax	265	8,561	570,232	296	8,164	950,018
Curry	636	1,316	$ 238,926	721	1,270	$ 332,890
De Baca	177	7,198	331,163	217	6,159	486,350
Dona Ana	767	629	208,018	847	489	306,115
Eddy	444	2,344	233,032	463	1,863	443,420
Grant	199	5,969	$ 336,102	251	4,441	$ 858,921
Guadalupe	242	6,756	355,119	247	7,048	638,378
Harding	175	7,874	402,764	181	7,191	626,217
Hidalgo	145	9,401	453,000	157	10,535	1,531,162
Lea	512	4,404	$ 268,000	510	4,407	$ 473,949
Lincoln	266	8,155	424,015	307	6,474	637,369
Los Alamos	5	10	47,068	na	na	na
Luna	241	3,427	414,168	212	4,661	708,387
McKinley	119	28,264	$1,587,434	195	16,735	$1,213,084
Mora	267	4,236	242,377	310	3,325	376,225
Otero	294	3,509	668,367	348	3,387	880,946
Quay	607	3,226	254,389	622	2,905	355,082
Rio Arriba	580	2,531	$ 261,389	634	2,474	$ 480,776
Roosevelt	905	1,691	188,497	868	1,743	266,433
Sandoval	243	3,249	710,325	311	2,586	631,319
San Juan	407	4,698	185,956	512	3,719	529,458
San Miguel	487	4,319	$ 266,239	423	4,660	$ 739,921
Santa Fe	206	3,774	400,144	221	3,780	494,323
Sierra	173	7,158	280,356	178	7,910	783,236
Socorro	321	5,914	312,849	307	6,163	720,876
Taos	262	1,111	$ 183,019	331	901	$ 321,047
Torrance	355	4,324	243,105	420	3,828	347,267
Union	416	4,916	308,059	441	5,169	649,886
Valencia	626	3,895	291,918	634	4,022	559,985
Other[1]	0	0	$ 0	1,942	189	$ 121,064

na Not available.
1 Farms not on mail list.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Census of Agriculture*, selected years.

FARM SIZES AND VALUES--NEW MEXICO
Census Years

		Acres in Farms		Land & Building Value	
	Number	Total	Average	Per Farm	Per Acre
1940	34,105	38,860,427	1,139.4	$ 5,498	$ 4.83
1945	29,695	49,608,445	1,670.6	11,004	6.59
1950	23,599	47,521,809	2,013.7	30,228	15.01
1954	21,070	49,450,885	2,347.0	$ 50,078	$ 21.34
1959	15,919	46,293,207	2,908.0	68,223	23.46
1964	14,206	47,646,966	3,354.0	117,042	34.93
1969	11,641	46,792,302	4,019.6	$168,336	$ 41.87
1974	11,282	47,046,388	4,170.0	323,418	78.00
1978	14,253	48,301,326	3,389.0	481,954	143.00

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Census of Agriculture*, selected years.

CASH RECEIPTS FROM LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS AND CROPS--NEW MEXICO
(dollars in thousands)

	Rank in New Mexico For 1982	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982[1]
ALL COMMODITIES		$970,358	$1,129,507	$1,189,329	$899,267	$963,775
LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS		$748,183	$ 882,306	$ 915,107	$586,293	$627,148
Meat Animals		671,680	786,694	800,013	450,513	475,507
Cattle & Calves	1	652,105	763,463	777,122	427,119	456,900
Sheep & Lambs	14	9,740	14,876	12,811	14,785	10,172
Hogs & Pigs	15	9,835	8,355	10,080	8,609	8,435
Dairy Products		52,706	65,526	84,280	102,662	124,112
Milk Wholesale	2	49,450	62,270	81,075	98,685	119,340
Milk Retail	20	3,256	3,256	3,205	3,977	4,772
Poultry & Eggs		17,291	18,922	19,102	19,739	15,180
Eggs	11	17,000	18,655	18,800	19,493	14,950
Farm Chickens	29	234	227	262	206	190
Other Poultry	30	57	40	40	40	40
Miscellaneous Livestock		6,506	11,164	11,712	13,379	12,349
Wool	21	3,717	4,580	4,572	5,597	4,417
Honey	28	117	372	323	438	[2]
Beeswax	31	12	12	17	24	[2]
Other Livestock & Poultry	16	2,660	6,200	6,800	7,320	7,932
CROPS		$222,175	$ 247,201	$ 274,222	$312,974	$336,627
Food Grains		12,272	29,226	34,936	40,366	60,129
Wheat	4	12,272	29,226	34,936	40,366	60,129
Feed Crops		82,774	87,144	106,656	102,851	120,126
Hay	3	46,921	47,169	54,057	55,983	63,705
Sorghum Grain	5	21,624	21,911	35,540	22,811	31,039
Barley	22	1,377	1,953	2,607	3,038	3,292
Corn	9	12,852	16,111	14,452	21,019	22,090
Cotton		42,578	46,713	33,110	39,690	28,335
Cotton Lint	7	37,668	42,083	28,177	34,731	26,442
Cottonseed	25	4,910	4,630	4,933	4,859	1,893
Oil Crops		5,246	5,581	4,461	6,677	6,028
Peanuts	17	5,246	5,581	4,461	6,677	6,028
Vegetables		42,478	41,928	49,292	67,201	64,437
Onions	12	10,111	10,656	10,405	20,120	14,278
Lettuce	13	11,037	6,979	6,640	7,695	13,774
Potatoes	19	3,620	3,673	3,432	5,727	4,855
Chile	6	15,910	18,281	26,325	32,830	29,140
Miscellaneous Vegetables	24	1,800	2,339	2,490	829	2,390
Fruit & Nuts		12,914	12,263	14,517	19,367	22,484
Pecans	10	11,182	10,074	12,848	17,114	20,750
Apples	26	1,542	1,924	1,414	2,003	1,484
Other Fruit & Nuts	28	190	265	255	250	250
All Other Crops		23,913	24,346	31,250	36,822	35,088
Greenhouse Nursery	8	15,000	17,000	20,000	25,000	26,000
Forest Products	23	1,300	1,500	1,700	2,000	2,500
Sugar Beets	27	936	1,026	1,750	1,402	568
Other Field Crops	18	6,677	4,820	7,800	8,420	6,020

1 Preliminary.
2 Estimates included in Other Livestock.
Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Reporting Service, *Economic Indicators of the Farm Sector.*

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY AND VALUE--NEW MEXICO[1]

	Number (000s)			Value per Head[2]			Total Value (000s)		
	1978	1981	1982	1978	1981	1982	1978	1981	1982
All Cattle	1,550	1,400	1,500	$195.00	$400.00	$340.00	$302,250	$560,000	$510,000
All Sheep & Lambs	571	650	615	47.50	62.50	50.00	27,123	40,625	30,750
Hogs & Pigs	60	74	62	52.00	62.00	74.00	3,120	4,588	4,588
Chickens[3]	1,970	2,145	1,825	1.90	1.70	1.95	3,743	3,647	3,559

1 Estimates made for January 1 of specified year for cattle and sheep. Estimates for hogs and chickens are for December 1 of year preceding heading year.
2 Based on reporters estimate of average price per head in their localities.
3 Excludes commercial broilers.
Source: N.M. Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, *Livestock Inventory and Value*, January 1980 and 1982.

FARM INCOME AND SALES--NEW MEXICO

	Market Value of All Agricultural Products Sold (in thousands)		Average Per Farm	
	1974	1978	1974	1978
STATE	$521,693	$798,855	$ 46,241	$ 56,048
Bernalillo	$ 15,141	$ 22,249	$ 64,705	$ 59,331
Catron	4,634	11,839	24,519	54,560
Chaves	84,146	82,885	162,758	149,343
Colfax	11,953	20,682	45,106	69,870
Curry	$ 59,479	$ 87,686	$ 93,520	$121,617
De Baca	6,562	11,516	37,073	53,068
Dona Ana	53,694	83,267	70,005	98,308
Eddy	27,737	46,255	62,471	99,902
Grant	$ 3,600	$ 6,610	$ 18,090	$ 26,334
Guadalupe	8,760	13,844	36,198	56,047
Harding	5,415	11,939	30,943	65,964
Hidalgo	8,645	12,899	59,621	82,156
Lea	$ 24,710	$ 35,221	$ 48,262	$ 69,062
Lincoln	6,931	12,933	26,056	42,127
Los Alamos	131	na	26,200	na
Luna	17,810	25,645	73,900	120,969
McKinley	$ 4,258	$ 9,988	$ 35,782	$ 51,222
Mora	5,175	8,861	19,382	28,583
Otero	5,670	8,580	19,286	24,656
Quay	27,352	26,194	45,061	42,113
Rio Arriba	$ 5,039	$ 11,701	$ 8,688	$ 18,456
Roosevelt	38,344	60,044	42,369	69,175
Sandoval	3,421	6,820	14,078	21,928
San Juan	5,585	9,055	13,722	17,685
San Miguel	$ 7,933	$ 15,280	$ 16,290	$ 36,123
Santa Fe	6,183	9,699	30,015	43,887
Sierra	7,423	11,099	42,908	62,352
Socorro	7,623	17,365	23,748	56,563
Taos	$ 1,514	$ 1,384	$ 5,779	$ 4,183
Torrance	8,192	13,717	23,076	32,660
Union	38,580	83,735	92,740	189,875
Valencia	10,054	13,235	16,061	20,876

na Not available.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Census of Agriculture, 1974 and 1978.*

Communications

1981 BUSINESS AND RESIDENCE TELEPHONES[1]--NEW MEXICO

Independent Company & Headquarters	Total	Business	Residence
Total	136,723	14,196	61,586
Baca Valley Telephone Company (Des Moines, NM)	614	48	411
Continental Telephone Company of the West (Phoenix, AZ)	33,244	4,008	18,426
Corona Telephone Company (Clovis, NM)	223	29	136
Dell Telephone Cooperative (Dell City, TX)	822	111	417
Eastern New Mexico Rural Telephone Cooperative (Clovis, NM)	5,181	452	2,981
General Telephone Company of the Southwest (San Angelo, TX)	76,546	7,151	29,336
La Jicarita Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (Mora, NM)	1,473	130	1,032
Leaco Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (Lovington, NM)	1,664	323	625
Navajo Communications Company, Inc. (Window Rock, AZ)	5,585	861	2,395
Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (Artesia, NM)	1,959	283	1,022
Roosevelt County Rural Telephone Cooperative (Portales, NM)	1,853	96	982
Universal Telephone Company of the Southwest (Milwaukee, WS)	3,796	294	1,901
Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (Willcox, AZ)	1,280	107	580
Western New Mexico Telephone Company, Inc. (Silver City, NM)	2,483	303	1,342

1 Independent Telephone Companies as of November 31, 1981, for all independent companies served by Mountain Bell.

Source: Industry Relations Department, Bell-Independent Company Relations Division, July, 1982.

NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED IN NEW MEXICO
March, 1982

City	Newspaper	Days Published	Publisher	Circulation
	Dailies			
Alamogordo	Alamogordo Daily News, AP	6 (no Sat.)	Billie Holder	9,743
Albuquerque	Albuquerque Journal, AP, UPI	7	Journal Publishing Company	93,201
Albuquerque	New Mexico Daily Lobo, UPI	5 (no Sat., no Sun., W. Sum)	UNM Board of Student Publications	13,000
Albuquerque	The Albuquerque Tribune, AP, UPI	6 (no Sat.)	Scripps-Howard Newspapers	44,613
Artesia	Artesia Daily Press, AP	6 (no Sat.)	James K. Green	3,730
Carlsbad	Carlsbad Current-Argus, AP	6 (no Sat.)	E.C. Cantwell	8,543
Clovis	Clovis News-Journal, AP	6 (no Sat.)	James Griffin	10,274
Deming	Deming Headlight, AP	5 (no Sat., no Sun.)	Harold R. Cousland	3,650
Farmington	Farmington Daily Times, AP	6 (no Sat.)	Eliot O'Brien	16,542
Gallup	The Gallup Independent, AP	6 (no Sun.)	John K. Zollinger	11,320
Grants	Grants Daily Beacon, AP	5 (no Sat., no Sun.)	Mrs. Jas. B. Barber	4,805
Hobbs	Hobbs Daily News Sun, AP	6 (no Sat.)	Robert L. Summers	10,445
Las Cruces	Las Cruces Sun News, UPI	6 (no Sat.)	R. Guy Hankins	17,041
Las Vegas	Las Vegas Daily Optic, AP	5 (no Sat., no Sun.)	Stuart Beck	3,800
Los Alamos	Los Alamos Monitor, AP	5 (no Sat., no Mon.)	Norman Hoffman	4,485
Lovington	Lovington Leader, AP	6 (no Sat.)	W.H. Graham	3,910
Portales	Portales News Tribune, AP	6 (no Sat.)	Marshall Stinnett	3,819
Raton	Raton Daily Range, AP	5 (Tue. Fri. & Sun. Morn.)	E. Wilson Koeppel	2,712
Roswell	Roswell Daily Record, UPI	6 (no Sat.)	Robert H. Beck	14,535
Santa Fe	The New Mexican, AP, UPI	Daily	Gannett Newspapers	16,642
Silver City	Silver City Daily Press, AP	Daily	William F. Ely	6,840
	Semi-Weeklies			
Belen	Valencia County News Bulletin	2 (Mon. & Thurs.)	Meredith Newspapers	4,734
Clovis	Curry County Times	2 (Wed. & Sat.)	Kay Freedman	1,786
Ruidoso	Ruidoso News	2 (Mon. & Thurs.)	J. Kenneth Green	4,439
Santa Fe	Santa Fe Reporter	2 (Sun. & Wed.)	R. McCord/L. Knowles	18,402
Socorro	Defensor Chieftain	2 (Tue. & Thurs.)	Leona H. Klipsch	2,963
Tucumcari	Quay County Sun	2 (Sun. & Wed.)	Mike Rindahl	2,903
	Weeklies			
Alamogordo	Alamogordo Shopper News	1 (Wed.)	Billie Holder	17,000
Albuquerque	Baptist New Mexican	1 (Sat.)	NM Baptist Convention	16,250
Albuquerque	El Hispano (Spanish)	1 (Fri.)	A.B. Collado	10,000
Albuquerque	Focus	1 (Fri.)	Kirtland Air Force Base	11,500
Albuquerque	Health City Sun	1 (Fri.)	Joan Crawford	658
Albuquerque	New Mexico Independent	1 (Fri.)	Mary Beth Acuff	9,000
Albuquerque	The Outlook, Albuquerque	1 (Wed.)	Meredith Newspapers	95,480
Albuquerque	Sandoval County Times Independent	1 (Fri.)	Mary Beth Acuff	1,000
Angel Fire	Sangre de Cristo Chronicle	Weekly	Joseph Gallagher	3,000
Aztec	Aztec Independent Review	1 (Thurs.)	Richard Van Cleef	2,299
Carrizozo	Lincoln County News	1 (Thurs.)	Ernest Joiner	1,200

Weeklies (Cont.)

Clayton	Union County Leader	1 (Wed.)	Nick Payton	2,443
Espanola	Rio Grande Sun	1 (Thurs.)	Robert Trapp	7,165
Estancia	Torrance County Citizen	1 (Thurs.)	Jim & Deb Cunningham	1,827
Eunice	Eunice Press	1 (Thurs.)	Henry DeVilliers	1,035
Fort Sumner	DeBaca County News	1 (Thurs.)	Ed Duckworth	1,357
Grants	Cibola County News	1 (Fri.)	Hope McClure	5,000
Hagerman	Star Tribune	1 (Thurs.)	Bob Jones	1,500
Hatch	Hatch Courier	1 (Thurs.)	A.C. & Doris Laite	839
Hobbs	Hobbs Flare	1 (Thurs.)	Manuel Padilla	2,925
Jal	Jal Record	1 (Thurs.)	Bill Beckham/Bert Brewer	1,261
Las Cruces	Missle Ranger	1 (Thurs.)	Ed White	6,000
Lordsburg	Lordsburg Liberal	1 (Thurs.)	Jack Walz & Charles Marquez	2,300
Los Alamos	The Chronicle	1 (Thurs.)	Sondra Cantrell	5,000
Los Lunas	Los Lunas Village Voice	1 (Thurs.)	Sammy Lopez	1,600
Rio Rancho	The Observer	1 (Wed.)	J.W. McCaffrey	13,000
Rio Rancho	The Roadrunner, Rio Rancho	1 (Thurs.)	Meredith Newspapers	11,500
Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa News	1 (Thurs.)	Darrel Freeman	2,100
Silver City	Silver City Enterprise	1 (Thurs.)	Starship Enterprises, Inc.	1,566
Taos	The Taos News	1 (Thurs.)	Robin McKinney	6,096
Truth or Consequences	The Herald	1 (Thurs.)	Bob & Mike Tooley	4,064
Truth or Consequences	Sierra County Sentinel	1 (Wed.)	Myrna Baird	3,732

Semi-Monthlies, Monthlies & Bi-Monthlies

Albuquerque	Albuquerque C of C News	Monthly	Greater Albuquerque Chamber of Commerce	2,500
Albuquerque	Alumnus - UNM	Monthly-except Jul., Nov., Feb.	Alumni, UNM	45,000
Albuquerque	New Mexico Architecture	Bi-Monthly	NM Society of Architects	na
Albuquerque	New Mexico Business Journal	Monthly	George Hackler	11,400
Albuquerque	New Mexico Farm & Ranch Journal	Monthly	Frank Bess	na
Albuquerque	The New Mexico Flying Review	Monthly	J.G. Kinlen	na
Albuquerque	New Mexico Legionnaire	Monthly	Dept. of NM American Legion	10,283
Albuquerque	New Mexico Stockman	Monthly	Charles R. Stocks	12,000
Albuquerque	19 Pueblo News	Monthly	All Indian Pueblo Council, Inc.	28,000
Albuquerque	Prime Times	Bi-Monthly	NM Prime Times Publishing Co.	na
Albuquerque	Sandia Lab News	Semi-Monthly	Sandia National Labs	12,800
Albuquerque	Shop Talk	Monthly	NM Press Association	400
Cuba	Cuba News	Monthly	Penistaja Extension Club	na
Dulce	Jicarilla Chieftain	Bi-Weekly	Don Winter/Herman Riggs	1,000
Hurley	Chino World	Bi-Monthly	Kennecott Minerals Corp.	na
Las Cruces	Farm and Ranch	Monthly	New Mexico Farm and Ranch	10,500
Los Alamos	Zia News	Semi-Monthly	The Zia Company	3,200
Santa Fe	Enchantment	Monthly	NM REA Co-ops	78,314
Santa Fe	New Mexico Magazine	Monthly	Robert D. Davis	85,000
Santa Fe	New Mexico Wildlife	Bi-Monthly	NM Department of Game & Fish	na
Springer	Springer News Bulletin	Semi-Monthly	Marilyn Mullins	1,500

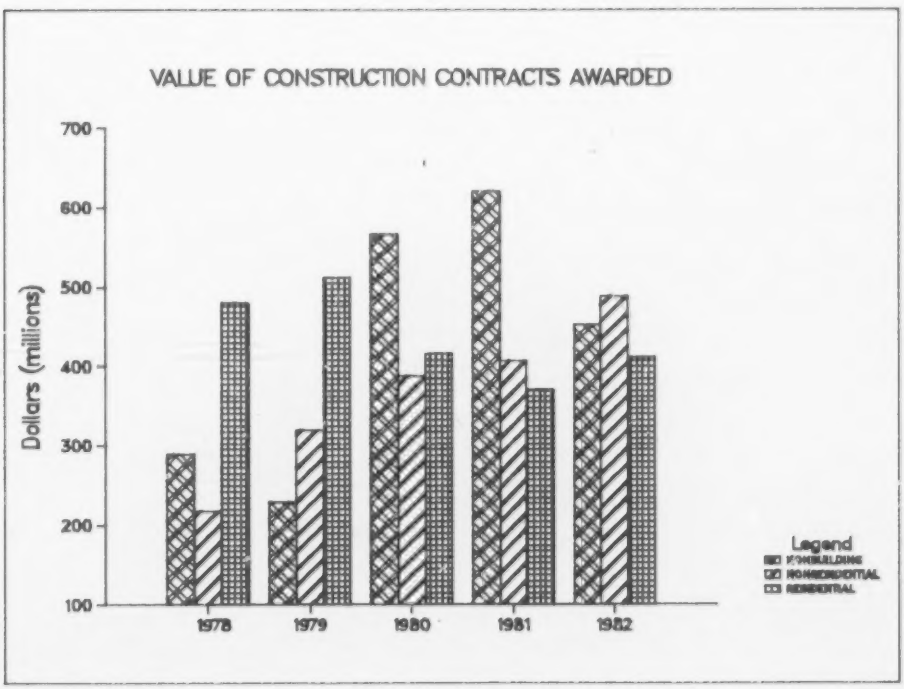
na Not available.
Source: N.M. Press Clipping Bureau, March, 1982.

Construction

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS AND EMPLOYMENT IN NEW MEXICO

	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Employment	35,000	35,600	32,100	33,300	31,900
Total Contracts Awarded ($000s)	$986,534	$1,059,800	$1,371,397	$1,397,856	$1,354,225
Residential	479,447	511,400	416,307	370,661	412,456
Nonresidential	218,509	319,300	387,770	406,357	488,854
Nonbuilding	288,578	229,100	567,320	620,838	452,915

Source: N.M. Employment Security Department; and F.W. Dodge Division, McGraw-Hill Information Systems Co.



VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS--SELECTED CITIES

	1981				1982			
	Total	Residential	Non-Residential	Other	Total	Residential	Non-Residential	Other
STATE	$678,999,648	$324,095,602	$251,185,427	$103,718,619	$770,938,432	$346,373,651	$305,320,257	$119,244,524
Alamogordo	$ 7,466,090	$ 3,179,906	$ 3,115,366	$ 1,170,816	$ 8,715,610	$ 4,464,091	$ 2,290,097	$ 1,961,422
Albuquerque	184,965,339	67,013,735	38,417,381	29,534,223	179,313,065	65,232,088	82,129,873	31,951,104
Artesia	6,497,273	2,901,000	2,633,910	962,363	7,735,996	5,100,500	1,510,250	1,125,246
Carlsbad	$ 10,413,073	$ 5,924,945	$ 2,745,388	$ 1,742,740	$ 20,139,260	$ 10,931,470	$ 5,903,090	$ 3,304,700
Clovis	4,001,517	1,282,424	1,374,553	1,344,540	7,046,521	1,839,649	3,982,847	1,224,025
Deming	1,855,014	1,198,300	213,200	443,514	3,201,220	2,120,200	336,850	744,170
Espanola	$ 1,076,929	$ 122,680	$ 412,409	$ 541,840	$ 1,310,149	$ 363,056	$ 326,285	$ 620,808
Farmington	29,023,857	13,941,661	12,515,750	2,566,446	21,673,894	5,593,070	12,988,519	3,092,305
Gallup	8,654,870	3,726,793	3,596,328	1,331,749	7,940,412	2,910,433	4,531,979	498,000
Hobbs	$ 29,876,409	$ 14,704,000	$ 8,119,043	$ 7,053,366	$ 33,599,499	$ 19,719,285	$ 6,161,502	$ 7,718,712
Las Cruces	22,963,155	8,967,866	11,040,965	2,954,324	31,118,328	12,735,175	14,664,672	3,718,481
Los Alamos	7,003,118	3,368,990	446,860	3,187,268	10,087,183	3,976,430	3,754,202	2,356,551
Portales	$ 1,031,814	$ 510,000	$ 171,414	$ 350,400	$ 1,619,291	$ 20,000	$ 1,215,350	$ 383,941
Raton	1,393,654	442,200	407,500	543,954	1,621,453	411,000	809,770	400,683
Roswell	13,174,915	5,850,267	3,708,048	3,616,600	29,642,939	11,793,370	13,928,084	3,921,485
Ruidoso	$ 23,157,805	$ 19,978,985	$ 1,790,040	$ 1,388,780	$ 28,222,595	$ 21,388,050	$ 5,895,608	$ 938,937
Santa Fe	46,658,525	29,971,125	5,256,753	11,430,647	51,365,721	29,403,235	12,745,474	9,217,012
Socorro	3,394,325	2,834,300	239,975	320,050	2,864,840	2,583,600	94,200	187,040
Remainder of State	$276,391,966	$138,176,423	$104,980,544	$ 33,234,999	$323,729,456	$145,788,949	$132,051,605	$ 45,879,902

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Permit Authorized Construction in Selected Permit-Issuing Places*, (unpublished reports).

NUMBER OF BUILDING PERMITS--SELECTED CITIES

	1981				1982			
	Total	Residential	Non-Residential	Other	Total	Residential	Non-Residential	Other
STATE	16,123	6,058	2,896	7,169	16,323	5,989	3,187	7,147
Alamogordo	520	73	215	232	660	102	128	430
Albuquerque	2,663	1,093	244	1,326	2,072	1,039	227	806
Artesia	255	69	75	111	330	116	85	129
Carlsbad	620	87	123	410	631	213	190	228
Clovis	315	23	55	237	310	26	63	221
Deming	174	37	6	131	164	29	22	113
Espanola	117	4	25	88	134	9	31	94
Farmington	635	253	88	294	916	127	210	579
Gallup	211	61	21	129	159	52	48	59
Hobbs	769	217	51	501	832	250	48	534
Las Cruces	844	162	178	504	944	205	208	531
Los Alamos	293	35	47	211	286	31	67	188
Portales	84	7	30	47	89	1	31	57
Raton	106	12	7	87	108	9	24	75
Roswell	691	111	119	461	998	316	183	499
Ruidoso	708	599	26	83	482	373	38	71
Santa Fe	1 127	429	65	633	938	377	148	413
Socorro	121	55	23	43	108	60	15	33
Remainder of State	5,870	2,731	1,498	1,641	6,162	2,654	1,421	2,087

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Permit Authorized Construction in Selected Permit-Issuing Places*, (unpublished reports).

Education

PUBLIC EDUCATION PROFILE--NEW MEXICO

	1981-1982
STUDENTS	
Average Daily Membership[1]	258,756
% Change from Previous Five Years	-5.9
Percent in Bilingual Programs[2]	60.5
Percent in Special Education Programs	3.9
Percent Students	
Anglo	46
Spanish	40
American Indian	9
Other	5
Dropout Rate	8.1
TEACHERS	
Pupil Teacher Ratio	17.8
Average Salary	$18,510
% Change from Previous Year	11.1
Average Years of Experience	11.1
Percent Teachers[3]	
Anglo	72
Spanish	25
American Indian	1
FINANCE	
Expenditures per Pupil	$2,092
% Change from Previous Year	17.8
Sources of Income (Percent)	
State	83.9
Local	6.7
Federal	9.4

1 40 Day ADM.
2 Grades 1 through 3.
3 May not add to 100 because of rounding and nonresponse.
Source: N.M. State Department of Education, *New Mexico School District Profile*, March, 1983.

DAILY MEMBERSHIP[1] BY SCHOOL TYPE--NEW MEXICO

School Year	Public Average Daily Membership	Private Average Daily Membership	Special Average Daily Membership	Total
1970-71	277,385	13,582	1,416	292,383
1971-72	277,596	13,158	1,449	292,203
1972-73	276,156	13,240	1,045	290,441
1973-74	273,739	12,971	1,343	288,053
1974-75	271,431	14,327	1,356	287,114
1975-76	265,374	16,171	1,414	282,959
1976-77	266,146	16,238[2]	1,476[2]	283,860
1977-78	264,171	17,435[2]	1,464[2]	283,070
1978-79	261,543	18,248	1,291	281,082
1979-80	257,773	19,127	1,289	278,189
1980-81	253,153	20,319	1,247	274,719

1 Data as of end of school year.
2 40 day ADM.
Source: N.M. Department of Educational Finance and Cultural Affairs, *Statistics, Public School Finance, 1980-1981*; N.M. Department of Education, *Annual Statistical Report*, various issues.

AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	% Change 1980-81 to 1981-82
STATE	266,544	262,236	258,934	- 1.3
Bernalillo	78,532	76,278	73,797	- 3.3
Catron	598	592	596	0.7
Chaves	10,407	10,095	10,116	0.2
Cibola[1]	na	na	5,266	NA
Colfax	2,855	2,866	2,777	- 3.1
Curry	8,831	8,706	8,341	- 4.2
De Baca	469	438	426	- 2.7
Dona Ana	21,369	21,492	21,780	1.3
Eddy	9,891	9,967	10,143	1.8
Grant	5,897	6,020	6,054	0.6
Guadalupe	1,206	1,163	1,069	- 8.1
Harding	216	195	185	- 5.1
Hidalgo	1,558	1,534	1,521	- 0.8
Lea	12,070	12,388	13,009	5.0
Lincoln	2,551	2,510	2,538	1.1
Los Alamos	4,379	4,155	4,045	- 2.6
Luna	3,456	3,384	3,359	- 0.7
McKinley	13,130	12,813	12,714	- 0.8
Mora	1,002	1,012	958	- 5.3
Otero	9,293	8,929	8,642	- 3.2
Quay	2,300	2,229	2,235	0.3
Rio Arriba	7,386	7,185	7,183	0.0
Roosevelt	3,058	2,948	3,003	1.9
Sandoval	4,364	4,261	4,247	- 0.3
San Juan	18,081	18,621	18,710	0.5
San Miguel	5,243	4,944	4,727	- 4.4
Santa Fe	12,533	12,324	12,155	- 1.4
Sierra	1,409	1,422	1,388	- 2.4
Socorro	2,336	2,277	2,199	- 3.4
Taos	5,371	5,226	5,083	- 2.7
Torrance	2,354	2,334	2,433	4.2
Union	1,045	979	1,071	9.4
Valencia[1]	13,354	12,949	7,168	-44.6

NA Not applicable.
na Not available.
1 Cibola was formed from Valencia County in 1981.
Source: N.M. Department of Finance and Administration, Public School Finance Division, *New Mexico Public School Finance Statistics*.

MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED BY PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES*
1980

	Population 25 & Older	Median Completed		Population 25 & Older	Median Completed
STATE	707,147	12.6			
Bernalillo	236,681	12.8	McKinley	24,935	12.0
Catron	1,603	12.4	Mora	2,349	11.0
Chaves	29,590	12.4	Otero	22,881	12.6
Colfax	7,787	12.4	Quay	6,362	12.3
Curry	21,925	12.5	Rio Arriba	14,928	12.2
De Baca	1,630	12.2	Roosevelt	8,312	12.5
Dona Ana	47,677	12.5	Sandoval	19,146	12.5
Eddy	27,135	12.3	San Juan	39,412	12.4
Grant	14,389	12.4	San Miguel	12,213	12.2
Guadalupe	2,412	11.8	Santa Fe	43,801	12.8
Harding	705	12.2	Sierra	6,016	12.1
Hidalgo	3,115	12.3	Socorro	6,354	12.4
Lea	29,723	12.3	Taos	10,758	12.4
Lincoln	6,847	12.6	Torrance	4,312	12.2
Los Alamos	10,805	15.5	Union	2,890	12.3
Luna	9,318	12.2	Valencia	31,136	12.4

* Population detail will not add to total because the data is based on a sample.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Population; General, Social, and Economic Characteristics, New Mexico.*

ENROLLMENT AT INSTITUTIONS[1] OF HIGHER EDUCATION--NEW MEXICO

	Public	Private
1971	33,320	3,126
1972	32,773	3,116
1973	32,618	3,221
1974	32,716	3,102
1975	34,146	3,262
1976	33,995	3,057
1977	33,912	2,825
1978	33,350	2,611
1979	33,695	2,528
1980	34,283	2,503
1981	34,516	2,571
Ten-Year Change	3.6%	- 17.8%

1 Four-year institutions.
Source: N.M. Board of Educational Finance, *A Statewide Plan for Postsecondary Education in New Mexico.*

SCHOOLS BY SPECIFIED TYPE--NEW MEXICO 1980-1981

	Number
TOTAL	857
Public Schools	628
Elementary	399
Middle	50
Junior High	52
Junior (Senior High)	42[1]
Senior High	65
Evening High	4
Alternative High	7[2]
Special Education	9[3]
Special State-Supported	8[4]
Vocational-Post Secondary	18
Colleges & Universities	22
Branch Colleges	9
Junior Colleges	3
Private Schools	181

1 Grades 7-12. Also included: one middle high school with grades 9 and 10, and three schools with grades 8-12.
2 Two of these schools are accredited as part of the high school.
3 Schools exclusively for special education students.
4 New Mexico Military Institute is counted both as a special school and as a junior college.
Source: N.M. Superintendent of Public Instruction, *Annual Statistical Report, July 1, 1980 to June 30, 1981.*

EXPENDITURES[1] PER PUPIL IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS--NEW MEXICO

	Expenditures Per Pupil	% Increase From Previous Year
1972-1973	$ 697	9.4
1973-1974	758	8.8
1974-1975	862	13.7
1975-1976	997	15.7
1976-1977	1,120	12.3
1977-1978	1,224	9.3
1978-1979	1,391	13.6
1979-1980	1,556	11.9
1980-1981	1,776	14.1
1981-1982	2,092	17.7

1 Net operational costs per student.
Source: N.M. Department of Education, *New Mexico School District Profile, 1983.*

PUPIL-TEACHER RATIOS--NEW MEXICO

	Pupil-Teacher Ratio
1977-1978	19.9
1978-1979	19.3
1979-1980	18.5
1980-1981	18.2
1981-1982	17.8

Source: N.M. Department of Education, *New Mexico School District Profile, 1983.*

DEGREES AWARDED BY INSTITUTIONS[1] OF HIGHER EDUCATION--NEW MEXICO

	BA	MA	Ph.D
1971-72	4,755	1,485	188
1972-73	5,026	1,564	214
1973-74	5,256	1,593	218
1974-75	5,084	1,614	185
1975-76	5,090	1,609	152
1976-77	4,621	1,692	158
1977-78	4,682	1,773	150
1978-79	4,654	1,711	151
1979-80	4,750	1,758	168
1980-81	4,546	1,707	165
1981-82	4,569	1,760	140

1 Includes Public and Private.
Source: N.M. Board of Educational Finance, *Selected Information About Higher Education in New Mexico.*

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES IN NEW MEXICO

College of Santa Fe
President: Brother Cyprian Lake
Saint Michael's Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87501

College of the Southwest
President: Dr. Bruce M. Evans
Lovington Highway
Hobbs, NM 88240

Eastern New Mexico University
President: Dr. Warren B. Armstrong
Portales, NM 88130

Clovis Campus
Provost: Jay Gurley
Clovis, NM 88101

Roswell Campus
Provost: Loyo R. Hughes
P.O. Box 6761
Roswell, NM 88201

New Mexico Highlands University
President: John A. Aragon
Las Vegas, NM 87701

New Mexico Institute of Mining & Technology
President: Lawrence H. Latman
Socorro, NM 87801

New Mexico Junior College
President: Robert Anderson, Jr.
Lovington Highway
Hobbs, NM 88240

New Mexico Military Institute
President: M. Gen. Gerald R. Childress
Roswell, NM 88201

New Mexico State University
President: Dr. Gerald W. Thomas
Las Cruces, NM 88003

Alamogordo Branch
Director: Charles R. Reidlinger
Box 477
Alamogordo, NM 88310

Carlsbad Branch
Director: Charles R. Marlow
2900 W. Church Street
Carlsbad, NM 88220

Grants Branch
Director: Donaciano G. Gonzalez
1500 N. 3rd St.
Grants, NM 87401

San Juan Branch
President: Dr. James C. Henderson
4601 College Boulevard
Farmington, NM 87401

Northern New Mexico Community College
President: Frank A. Serrano III
General Delivery El Rito
El Rito, NM 87530

St. Johns College
President: Edwin J. Delattre
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Santa Fe Community College
President: William C. Witter
P.O. Box 4187
Santa Fe, NM 87502

University of Albuquerque
Acting President: Rev. Alfred McBride
St. Joseph's Place N.W.
Albuquerque, NM 87140

University of New Mexico
President: John Perovich
Albuquerque, NM 87131

Gallup Branch
Director: John Phillips
200 College Rd.
Gallup, NM 87301

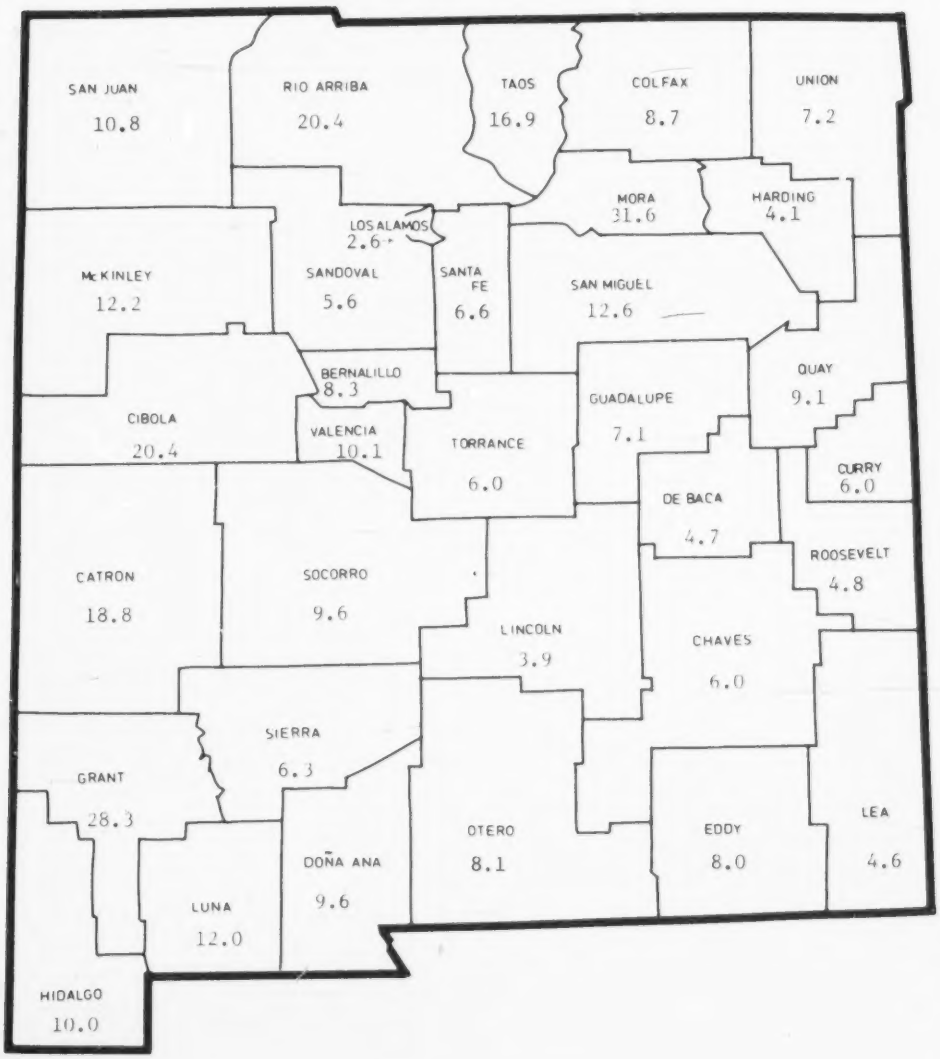
Valencia County Branch
Director: Omero Suarez
Belen, NM 87002

Los Alamos Branch
Director: Herb Lyon
Los Alamos, NM 87544

Western New Mexico University
President: Robert E. Glennon
College Ave.
Silver City, NM 88061

Source: National Center for Education Statistics, *Education Directory, 1981-82;* and individual school bulletins.

Employment

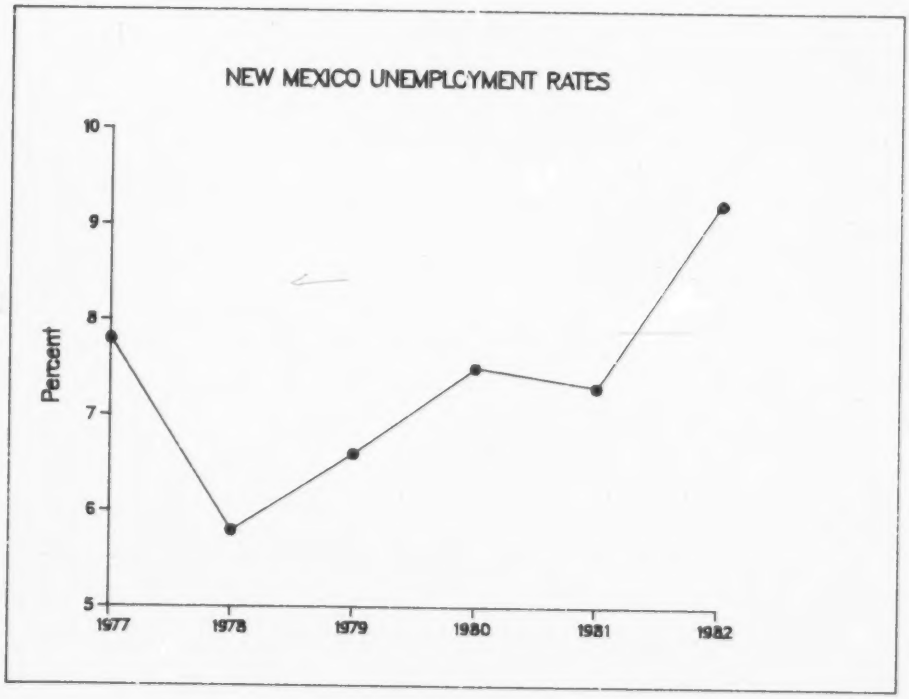


1982 UNEMPLOYMENT RATES (%)
BY COUNTY

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT--NEW MEXICO
1977-1982
(ANNUAL AVERAGES)

	Labor Force	Total Employment	Total Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
1977	518,000	478,000	40,000	7.8
1978	542,000	511,000	31,000	5.8
1979	555,000	519,000	36,000	6.6
1980	561,000	519,000	42,000	7.5
1981	578,000	536,000	42,000	7.3
1982	592,000	538,000	54,000	9.2

Source: N.M. Employment Security Department.



CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1982

	Civilian Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	
			Number	Rate
STATE	592,000	538,000	54,000	9.2
Albuquerque SMSA[1]	218,360	200,621	17,739	8.1
Las Cruces SMSA[2]	37,623	34,026	3,597	9.6
Bernalillo	202,085	185,260	16,825	8.3
Catron	971	788	183	18.8
Chaves	23,813	22,380	1,433	6.0
Cibola	12,532	9,974	2,558	20.4
Colfax	6,855	6,257	598	8.7
Curry	14,878	13,981	897	6.0
De Baca	1,023	975	48	4.7
Dona Ana	37,623	34,026	3,597	9.6
Eddy	24,777	22,800	1,977	8.0
Grant	11,736	8,415	3,321	28.3
Guadalupe	1,432	1,331	101	7.1
Harding	580	556	24	4.1
Hidalgo	2,571	2,315	256	10.0
Lea	34,568	32,963	1,605	4.6
Lincoln	7,284	7,002	282	3.9
Los Alamos	10,696	10,423	273	2.6
Luna	5,187	4,564	623	12.0
McKinley	18,366	16,120	2,246	12.2
Mora	1,171	801	370	31.6
Otero	14,410	13,250	1,160	8.1
Quay	5,078	4,615	463	9.1
Rio Arriba	11,114	8,850	2,264	20.4
Roosevelt	7,693	7,324	369	4.8
Sandoval	16,275	15,361	914	5.6
San Juan	38,474	34,307	4,167	10.8
San Miguel	8,813	7,699	1,114	12.6
Santa Fe	38,382	35,847	2,535	6.6
Sierra	2,720	2,548	172	6.3
Socorro	4,659	4,214	445	9.6
Taos	10,304	8,568	1,736	16.9
Torrance	2,261	2,125	136	6.0
Union	2,462	2,285	177	7.2
Valencia	11,206	10,076	1,130	10.1

1 Includes Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties.
2 Dona Ana County.
Source: N.M. Employment Security Department.

NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT[1] BY INDUSTRY--NEW MEXICO

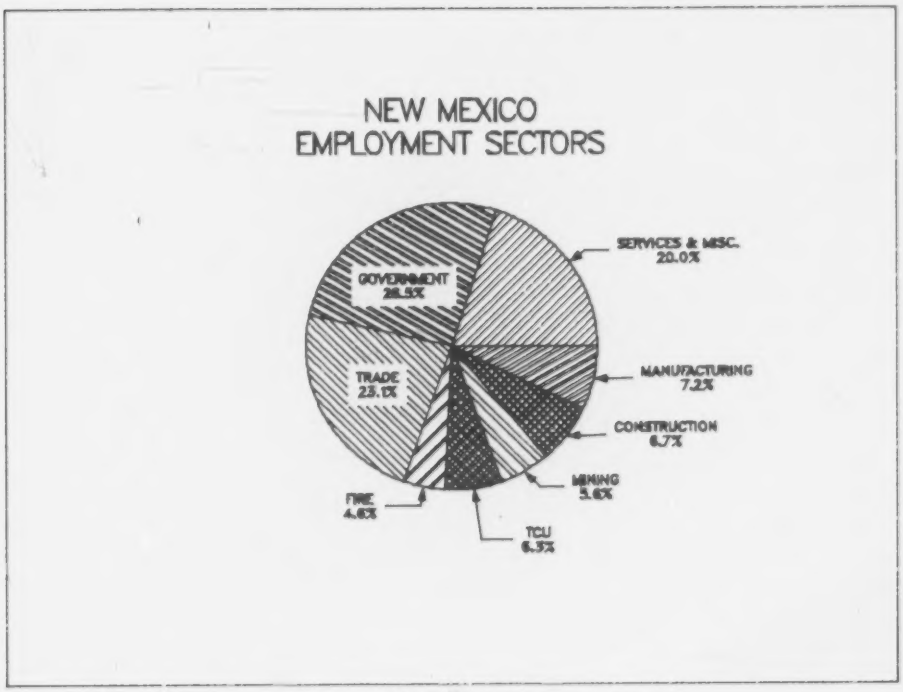
	1981	1982	Change in Jobs	Percent Change
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	475,500	473,900	-1,600	- 0.3
MINING	31,200	26,700	-4,500	-14.4
Metal	9,400	6,100	-3,300	-35.1
Coal & Nonmetallic	5,500	5,100	- 400	- 7.3
Oil & Gas Extraction	16,300	15,500	- 800	- 4.9
CONSTRUCTION	33,300	31,900	-1,400	- 4.2
MANUFACTURING	34,300	34,000	- 300	- 0.9
Durable Goods	21,000	21,400	400	1.9
Lumber & Wood Products	2,600	2,000	- 600	-23.1
Electric & Electronic Equipment	3,500	4,300	800	22.9
Transportation Equipment	3,800	4,100	300	7.9
Other Durable Goods	11,200	11,000	- 200	- 1.8
Nondurable Goods	13,300	12,600	- 700	- 5.3
Food & Kindred Products	4,100	3,900	- 200	- 4.9
Textiles & Apparel	3,600	3,000	- 600	-16.7
Other Nondurable Goods	5,700	5,800	100	1.8
TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC UTILITIES	29,200	29,800	600	2.1
Railroad	3,100	2,500	- 600	-19.4
Trucking & Warehousing	5,700	5,800	100	1.8
Other Transportation	3,600	3,800	200	5.6
Communications	7,500	7,900	400	5.3
Electronic, Gas & Sanitary Services	9,300	9,900	600	6.5
TRADE	106,000	109,400	3,400	3.2
Wholesale	22,500	22,800	300	1.3
Retail	83,500	86,600	3,100	3.7
General Merchandise Stores	10,700	10,900	200	1.9
Food Stores	12,200	12,600	400	3.3
Auto Dealers & Service Stations	11,900	11,900	--	--
Eating & Drinking Places	27,800	29,600	1,800	6.5
Other Retail Trade	20,900	21,500	600	2.9
FINANCE, INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE	21,500	21,800	300	1.4
Banking	7,400	7,700	300	4.1
Insurance Carriers, Agents & Brokers	5,400	5,400	--	--
Other Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	8,700	8,700	--	--
SERVICES	94,100	94,900	800	0.9
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	9,900	10,200	300	3.0
Personal Services	4,600	4,800	200	4.3
Business Services	20,400	21,000	600	2.9
Health Services	22,300	23,500	1,200	5.4
Social Services	8,900	6,600	-2,300	-25.8
Other Services	28,000	28,800	800	2.9
GOVERNMENT	125,800	125,400	- 400	- 0.3
Federal	29,900	29,100	- 800	- 2.7
State	44,100	43,100	- 000	- 2.3
Local	51,900	53,100	1,200	2.3

1 Detail may not add up to total due to rounding.
Source: N.M. Employment Security Department, Research and Statistics Section.

HOURS AND EARNINGS IN MAJOR INDUSTRY SECTORS--NEW MEXICO

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982
Mining	$395.60	$436.59	$471.37	43.0	44.1	42.2	$9.20	$ 9.90	$11.17
Construction	342.61	369.94	386.54	35.8	36.7	36.5	9.57	10.08	10.59
Manufacturing	230.44	258.33	282.63	39.8	39.5	39.2	5.79	6.54	7.21
Communications & Utilities	323.47	355.97	379.44	41.9	41.2	40.8	7.72	8.64	9.30
Trade[1]	219.80	235.14	243.83	35.0	35.2	35.7	6.28	6.68	6.83
Banking	157.54	174.93	186.38	37.6	37.7	37.5	4.19	4.64	4.97

1 Excludes eating and drinking places.
Source: N.M. Employment Security Department.



MILITARY INSTALLATION EMPLOYMENT--NEW MEXICO

	September 30, 1976				September 30, 1981			
			Total				Total	
	Military	Civilian	Number	%	Military	Civilian	Number	%
STATE TOTAL*	14,899	7,681	22,580	100.0	15,648	9,637	25,285	100.0
Cannon AFB Clovis	3,930	431	4,361	19.3	3,708	400	4,108	16.2
Holloman AFB Alamogordo	5,258	1,077	6,335	28.1	5,486	1,212	6,698	26.5
Kirtland AFB Albuquerque	3,796	2,523	6,319	28.0	4,350	2,653	7,003	27.7
White Sands Las Cruces	1,472	3,644	5,116	22.7	1,358	4,025	5,383	21.3
Miscellaneous	443	6	449	2.0	746	1,347	2,093	8.3

* Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
Source: U.S. Department of Defense, *Distribution of Personnel by State and by Selected Locations.*

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT BY MAJOR INDUSTRY SECTOR--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES[1]
1982

	Total*	Manufacturing	Mining	Contract Construction	TCU[4]	Wholesale & Retail Trade	FIRE[5]	Services & Miscellaneous	Government
STATE*	473,900	34,000	26,700	31,900	29,800	109,400	21,800	94,900	125,400
Albuquerque SMSA[2]	189,400	17,900	D	11,600	12,000	47,900	10,900	47,100	42,000
Las Cruces SMSA[3]	31,200	2,900	D	1,600	1,300	5,900	1,200	4,200	14,100
Catron	402	D	D	D	D	31	D	97	274
Chaves	18,074	2,236	1,099	1,378	961	4,882	920	2,924	3,674
Cibola	4,754	165	1,140	309	287	1,003	87	756	1,007
Colfax	4,999	364	D	216	199	1,096	257	1,771	1,095
Curry	11,024	759	D	647	1,119	3,520	547	1,931	2,501
De Baca	503	D	0	39	41	117	13	93	202
Eddy	18,387	1,091	4,935	1,388	1,344	3,696	675	2,903	2,355
Grant	8,089	318	1,391	1,108	295	1,625	223	911	2,217
Guadalupe	1,112	D	0	46	55	367	55	267	326
Harding	217	61	D	23	D	20	D	22	92
Hidalgo	1,728	D	D	63	66	374	37	805	383
Lea	27,831	1,227	8,199	2,201	2,618	6,412	1,005	3,512	2,657
Lincoln	4,271	130	D	527	192	990	369	1,083	982
Los Alamos	13,358	75	0	191	75	1,005	270	2,846	8,895
Luna	3,272	263	68	157	221	899	194	436	1,035
McKinley	16,905	742	2,727	928	896	4,026	370	2,319	4,898
Mora	457	D	0	30	37	34	D	50	306
Otero	13,546	1,017	D	775	686	3,119	494	2,892	4,564
Quay	2,968	111	0	131	255	1,000	117	596	759
Rio Arriba	5,833	143	19	285	300	1,052	212	1,371	2,454
Roosevelt	4,497	273	33	128	221	1,136	121	408	2,177
San Juan	31,076	1,499	4,345	4,075	4,164	6,119	836	5,025	5,012
San Miguel	6,280	65	D	379	175	980	192	749	3,740
Santa Fe	30,361	1,299	170	2,190	1,030	6,525	1,387	7,731	10,030
Sierra	1,627	D	D	96	75	436	74	473	473
Socorro	3,663	69	D	158	145	591	114	714	1,873
Taos	6,485	389	D	407	191	1,380	250	2,583	1,285
Torrance	1,255	42	D	47	90	395	24	85	572
Union	1,222	24	48	52	82	321	83	243	371
Valencia	5,976	75	D	350	594	1,257	386	682	2,650

* Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
D Withheld to avoid disclosure, included in Services and Miscellaneous.
1 By place of work.
2 Albuquerque Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area includes Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties.
3 Las Cruces standard Metropolitan Statistical Area in Dona Ana County.
4 Transportation, Communications and Utilities.
5 Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate.
Source: N.M. Employment Security Department.

Finance

BANKING--NEW MEXICO
(in millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Assets	$4,305	$4,905	$5,422	$6,101	$6,790	$7,766
Deposits	3,831	4,296	4,727	5,271	5,755	6,629
Loans	2,305	2,700	2,967	3,098	3,412	3,858

Source: N.M. Commerce and Industry Department, Financial Institutions Divisions, *Annual Report*.

SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS--NEW MEXICO
(in millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Assets	$1,733	$2,079	$2,347	$2,613	$2,775	$3,271
Deposits	1,470	1,734	1,942	2,189	2,290	2,618

Source: N.M. Commerce and Industry Department, Financial Institutions Division, *Annual Report*.

BUSINESS FAILURES[1]--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	Number of Failures	Liabilities
1976	17	$ 3,334
1977	13	3,146
1978	0	0
1979	8	5,346
1980	53	9,187
1981	80	12,855

1 Failures of commercial or industrial enterprises. Does not include failures of firms engaged in finance, insurance, real estate, farming or the professions.
Source: Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., *News*.

NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS--NEW MEXICO

	Number of Incorporations
1976	1,830
1977	2,080
1978	2,590
1979	3,059
1980	2,450
1981	2,588

Source: Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., *News*.

ASSETS AND DEPOSITS IN NEW MEXICO BANKS--SELECTED CITIES*
(in thousands)

	1981		1982		% Change in Deposits 1981-1982
	Assets	Deposits	Assets	Deposits	
STATE	$ 6,789,855	$5,754,898	$7,766,059	$6,629,115	15.2
Alamogordo	$ 137,691	$ 123,534	$ 161,507	$ 141,296	14.4
Albuquerque	2,541,728	2,026,245	2,881,823	2,327,875	14.9
Artesia	156,007	125,620	164,440	138,085	9.9
Belen	105,254	93,416	127,989	111,302	19.1
Carlsbad	$ 230,787	$ 200,438	$ 268,660	$ 238,270	18.9
Clayton	73,449	64,836	77,562	68,696	6.0
Clovis	264,681	240,622	311,205	285,598	18.7
Deming	86,896	78,929	92,036	82,989	5.1
Espanola	$ 99,201	$ 90,003	$ 111,453	$ 97,363	8.2
Farmington	345,641	293,769	380,154	320,904	9.2
Gallup	150,676	127,762	184,550	163,382	27.9
Grants	75,458	65,586	72,780	63,978	-2.5
Hobbs	$ 449,233	$ 384,935	$ 516,231	$ 440,668	14.5
Las Cruces	343,862	306,922	384,007	344,910	12.4
Las Vegas	84,341	74,023	101,921	91,235	23.5
Logan	4,714	4,233	4,918	4,421	4.4
Lordsburg	$ 19,892	$ 17,647	$ 21,243	$ 18,725	6.1
Los Alamos	55,981	49,613	70,822	63,640	28.3
Lovington	61,306	55,531	72,910	65,729	18.4
Portales	82,861	73,774	94,661	85,834	16.3
Raton	$ 110,168	$ 96,789	$ 134,194	$ 118,211	22.1
Rio Rancho	48,208	41,008	54,774	47,319	15.4
Roswell	373,378	338,532	426,232	384,040	13.4
Ruidoso	83,143	74,666	103,192	88,091	18.0
Santa Fe	$ 433,101	$ 373,255	$ 522,072	$ 460,205	23.3
Santa Rosa	16,573	15,148	15,778	14,417	-4.8
Silver City	95,225	86,705	106,196	91,781	5.9
Socorro	46,499	41,608	48,826	44,466	6.9
Springer	$ 27,720	$ 24,530	$ 31,004	$ 27,763	13.2
Taos	61,575	54,859	73,615	65,054	18.6
Truth or Consequences	47,754	41,944	52,470	45,568	8.6
Tucumcari	64,653	58,477	73,311	66,582	13.9
Vaughn	22,780	18,959	23,523	20,648	8.9

* Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
Source: N.M. Commerce and Industry Department, Financial Institutions Division, *Annual Report*.

Housing

TOTAL HOUSING UNITS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Year-Round Housing Units				
		Occupied			
	Total[1]	Total	Owner	Renter	Mobile Homes
STATE	505,513	441,466	300,570	140,896	58,993
Bernalillo	162,126	151,037	95,533	55,504	9,503
Catron	1,396	960	698	262	250
Chaves	20,823	18,194	12,838	5,356	1,208
Colfax	6,896	4,901	3,387	1,514	586
Curry	16,139	14,419	9,428	4,991	1,245
De Baca	1,350	989	769	220	110
Dona Ana	33,944	30,402	19,494	10,908	5,456
Eddy	18,154	16,669	12,053	4,616	1,754
Grant	9,631	8,586	6,206	2,380	1,724
Guadalupe	2,143	1,498	1,071	427	244
Harding	553	412	296	116	41
Hidalgo	2,326	1,905	1,103	802	359
Lea	21,083	18,947	13,550	5,397	2,465
Lincoln	9,739	4,108	2,989	1,119	1,326
Los Alamos	6,585	6,283	4,629	1,654	200
Luna	6,290	5,557	4,092	1,465	1,286
McKinley	18,128	15,078	9,398	5,680	2,699
Mora	2,105	1,390	1,067	323	255
Otero	17,961	14,608	8,897	5,711	3,341
Quay	4,914	3,936	2,883	1,053	442
Rio Arriba	11,107	9,078	7,086	1,992	2,183
Roosevelt	6,510	5,645	3,893	1,752	426
Sandoval	12,286	10,464	8,711	1,753	1,235
San Juan	29,730	25,020	18,529	6,491	6,993
San Miguel	9,904	7,370	5,123	2,247	1,089
Santa Fe	28,314	26,287	17,460	8,827	2,923
Sierra	5,392	3,745	2,663	1,082	1,336
Socorro	4,636	4,026	2,914	1,112	919
Taos	9,341	6,470	4,855	1,615	1,104
Torrance	3,309	2,645	2,167	478	647
Union	2,271	1,724	1,285	439	149
Valencia	22,353	19,113	15,503	3,610	5,495

1 Total included vacant and seasonal housing units.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 General Housing Characteristics, New Mexico.*

MEDIAN VALUE OF OWNER-OCCUPIED HOUSING--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	All Housing	Rural Housing
STATE	$45,300	$33,800
Bernalillo	54,100	68,100
Catron	23,000	23,200
Chaves	30,500	28,900
Colfax	33,200	27,200
Curry	$33,900	$34,300
De Baca	20,100	20,200
Dona Ana	41,700	37,300
Eddy	32,000	30,200
Grant	$33,600	$31,900
Guadalupe	15,500	16,600
Harding	10,600	10,500
Hidalgo	23,100	26,800
Lea	$32,800	$36,600
Lincoln	42,700	28,500
Los Alamos	77,800	None
Luna	32,100	32,900
McKinley	$35,400	$10,000*
Mora	11,700	12,100
Otero	34,500	37,300
Quay	22,700	25,900
Rio Arriba	$31,500	$26,300
Roosevelt	26,600	23,800
Sandoval	48,800	34,200
San Juan	48,000	33,600
San Miguel	$25,100	$18,100
Santa Fe	62,100	71,200
Sierra	25,100	25,700
Socorro	32,000	16,800
Taos	$41,400	$37,700
Torrance	22,500	22,400
Union	25,700	21,000
Valencia	45,200	46,300

* Less than $10,000.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Housing, General and Detailed Housing Characteristics, New Mexico.*

YEAR HOUSING UNITS CONSTRUCTED--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Year Structure Built					
	1979 to March 1980	1975 to 1978	1970 to 1974	1960 to 1969	1950 to 1959	1949 or Earlier
STATE	28,959	72,594	78,640	101,418	99,231	112,647
Bernalillo	9,560	25,294	29,468	34,786	35,418	27,317
Catron	85	90	123	229	121	567
Chaves	840	1,770	1,023	5,200	5,503	6,169
Colfax	269	729	734	723	647	3,108
Curry	595	1,651	2,140	4,060	3,649	4,049
De Baca	33	88	88	139	212	624
Dona Ana	2,770	5,634	5,664	7,370	6,128	5,953
Eddy	609	1,671	1,342	3,300	5,290	5,792
Grant	379	1,124	1,389	1,494	1,355	3,772
Guadalupe	40	152	143	314	263	1,156
Harding	12	19	27	31	38	394
Hidalgo	28	274	774	146	347	745
Lea	1,113	2,018	1,847	5,221	6,806	4,000
Lincoln	467	1,530	1,259	1,198	729	1,614
Los Alamos	226	959	767	1,471	1,744	1,418
Luna	364	923	1,315	1,099	967	1,589
McKinley	1,022	2,837	3,499	4,484	2,242	2,967
Mora	62	112	267	151	210	1,225
Otero	798	2,386	2,085	3,791	4,646	3,075
Quay	151	384	359	748	731	2,217
Rio Arriba	519	1,173	1,779	1,988	1,827	3,226
Roosevelt	206	518	548	1,465	1,482	2,213
Sandoval	1,332	2,349	3,334	1,899	873	2,192
San Juan	2,462	6,129	4,971	6,050	6,227	2,589
San Miguel	289	1,058	1,139	1,162	1,051	4,246
Santa Fe	1,824	4,460	4,947	5,146	4,317	7,480
Sierra	144	502	874	838	771	1,864
Socorro	261	594	629	876	827	1,388
Taos	413	1,005	1,277	1,210	1,013	3,231
Torrance	232	415	549	434	406	1,186
Union	31	140	122	156	232	1,456
Valencia	1,823	4,606	4,158	4,239	3,159	3,825

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Housing, Detailed Housing Characteristics, New Mexico.*

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF HOUSING--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Total Housing Units	Units Lacking Some or All Plumbing Facilities		Units Lacking Complete Kitchen Facilities		Units with 1.01 or More Persons Per Room		Persons Per Occupied Unit
		Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total	Number	% of Total	
STATE	507,513	23,862	4.7	23,784	4.7	38,031	7.5	2.90
Bernalillo	162,126	1,880	1.2	2,120	1.3	7,821	4.8	2.74
Catron	1,396	183	13.1	122	8.7	95	6.8	2.78
Chaves	20,823	371	1.8	385	1.8	1,157	5.6	2.73
Colfax	6,896	358	5.2	388	5.6	336	4.9	2.73
Curry	16,213	165	1.0	240	1.5	750	4.6	2.82
De Baca	1,350	59	4.4	49	3.6	44	3.3	2.44
Dona Ana	33,944	1,071	3.2	1,193	3.5	3,063	9.0	3.05
Eddy	18,154	270	1.5	373	2.1	1,126	6.2	2.85
Grant	9,631	297	3.1	184	1.9	646	6.7	2.99
Guadalupe	2,143	357	16.7	353	16.5	168	7.8	3.00
Harding	553	51	9.2	43	7.8	27	4.9	2.65
Hidalgo	2,326	38	1.6	33	1.4	180	7.7	3.13
Lea	21,083	198	0.9	436	2.1	1,572	7.5	2.94
Lincoln	9,739	207	2.1	228	2.3	292	3.0	2.63
Los Alamos	6,585	20	0.3	14	0.2	159	2.4	2.80
Luna	6,290	129	2.1	164	2.6	498	7.9	2.78
McKinley	18,128	5,348	29.5	5,543	30.6	5,006	27.6	3.73
Mora	2,105	686	32.6	695	33.0	200	9.5	3.03
Otero	17,961	233	1.3	239	1.3	794	4.4	2.95
Quay	4,914	126	2.6	187	3.8	224	4.6	2.67
Rio Arriba	11,107	1,674	15.1	1,313	11.8	1,337	12.0	3.21
Roosevelt	6,510	94	1.4	194	3.0	293	4.5	2.58
Sandoval	12,286	1,024	8.3	863	7.0	1,474	12.0	3.30
San Juan	29,730	3,209	10.8	3,177	10.7	4,324	14.5	3.24
San Miguel	9,904	1,067	10.8	865	8.7	811	8.2	2.89
Santa Fe	28,314	828	2.9	774	2.7	1,710	6.0	2.77
Sierra	5,392	227	4.2	170	3.2	198	3.7	2.25
Socorro	4,636	407	8.8	377	8.1	456	9.8	2.99
Taos	9,341	1,473	15.8	1,339	14.3	787	8.4	2.99
Torrance	3,309	331	10.0	384	11.6	206	6.2	2.83
Union	2,271	101	4.4	99	4.4	89	3.9	2.70
Valencia	22,353	1,380	6.2	1,240	5.5	2,188	9.8	3.17

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 General and Detailed Housing Characteristics, New Mexico.*

SOURCE OF WATER AND DISPOSITION OF SEWAGE--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Source of Water			Sewage Disposal		
	Public System or Private Company	Individual Well	Other	Public Sewer	Septic Tank or Cesspool	Other
STATE	415,179	70,157	8,153	361,847	111,967	19,675
Bernalillo	149,773	11,745	325	141,556	19,418	869
Catron	296	806	113	252	830	133
Chaves	18,545	1,861	99	17,189	3,165	151
Colfax	5,557	390	263	4,789	1,135	286
Curry	14,812	1,325	7	14,301	1,760	83
De Baca	885	272	27	684	474	26
Dona Ana	27,569	5,819	131	21,916	11,010	593
Eddy	16,607	1,114	23	14,402	3,465	137
Grant	7,532	1,914	67	6,630	2,714	169
Guadalupe	1,659	236	113	1,346	426	296
Harding	291	223	7	191	296	34
Hidalgo	1,803	502	9	1,663	638	13
Lea	17,407	3,592	6	16,886	3,997	122
Lincoln	5,632	1,113	52	3,604	3,017	176
Los Alamos	6,585	0	0	6,475	110	0
Luna	4,606	1,632	19	4,167	1,969	121
McKinley	13,180	1,708	2,163	10,265	1,597	5,189
Mora	1,031	676	320	320	999	708
Otero	14,821	1,471	489	12,932	3,755	94
Quay	3,661	921	8	3,262	1,284	44
Rio Arriba	5,192	4,787	533	3,601	5,380	1,531
Roosevelt	5,211	1,204	17	4,185	2,168	79
Sandoval	9,067	2,495	417	6,311	4,873	795
San Juan	24,046	3,148	1,234	17,517	7,789	3,122
San Miguel	7,559	1,175	211	5,814	2,323	808
Santa Fe	22,282	5,538	354	20,024	7,489	661
Sierra	3,986	978	29	3,203	1,659	131
Socorro	3,624	886	65	2,804	1,507	264
Taos	4,326	3,241	582	2,150	4,533	1,466
Torrance	2,013	1,096	113	1,493	1,438	291
Union	1,440	690	7	1,204	771	162
Valencia	13,921	7,539	350	10,711	9,978	1,121

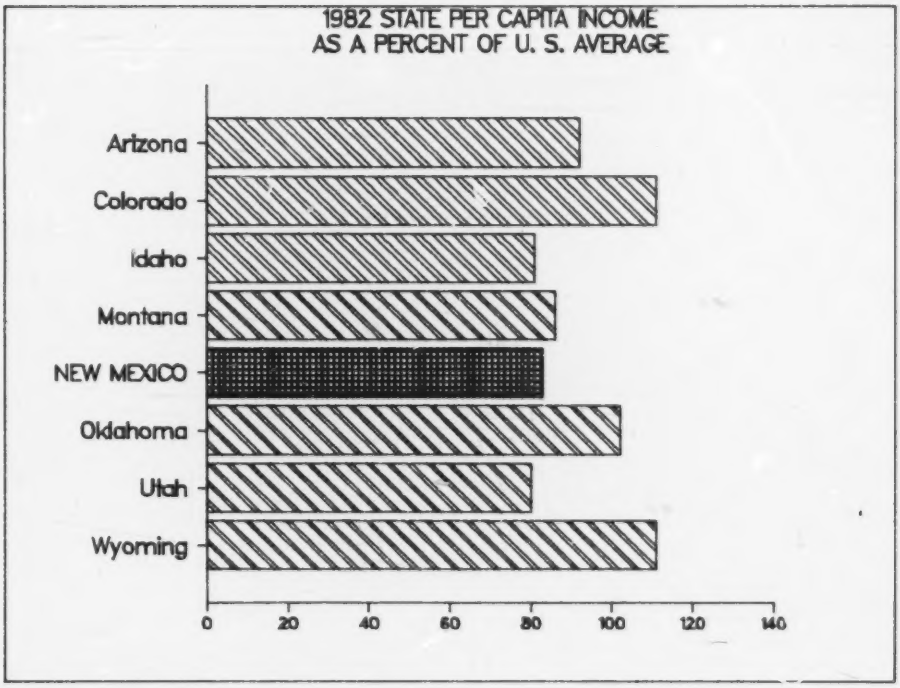
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census, *1980 Census of Housing, Detailed Housing Characteristics, New Mexico.*

Income

PER CAPITA INCOME
SOUTHWEST AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES

	1981	1982	% Change	National Rank 1982
SOUTHWEST	$10,631	$11,122	4.6	NA
Arizona	9,871	10,173	3.1	32
New Mexico	8,707	9,190	5.5	39
Oklahoma	10,606	11,370	7.2	17
Texas	10,954	11,419	4.2	16
ROCKY MOUNTAIN	$10,184	$10,754	5.6	NA
Colorado	11,389	12,302	8.0	7
Idaho	8,875	9,029	1.7	42
Montana	9,252	9,580	3.5	37
Utah	8,478	8,875	4.7	45
Wyoming	12,217	12,372	1.3	5
U.S. AVERAGE	$10,582	$11,107	5.0	NA

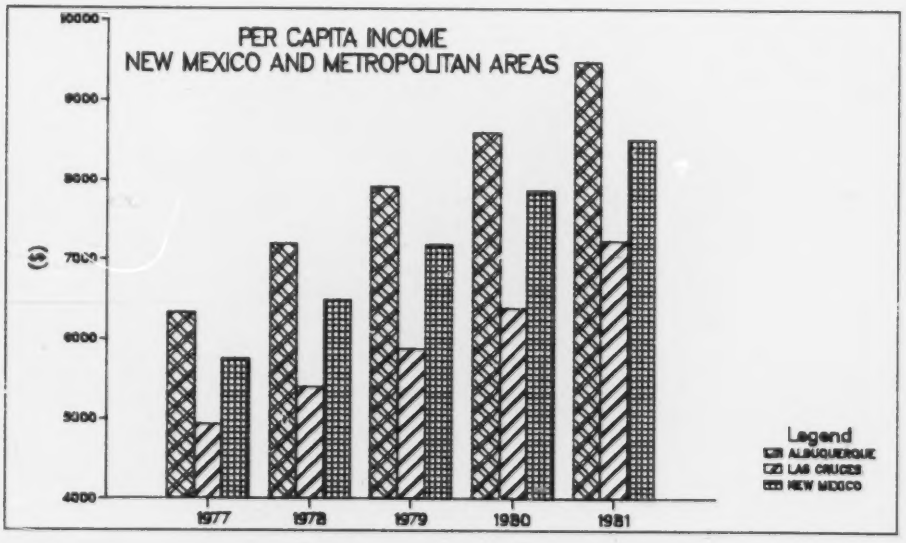
NA Not applicable.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.



PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME --NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
UNITED STATES	$ 6,984	$ 7,776	$ 8,657	$ 9,483	$10,495
STATE	5,745	6,495	7,193	7,867	8,509
Albuquerque SMSA[2]	$ 6,340	$ 7,195	$ 7,918	$ 8,596	$ 9,478
Las Cruces SMSA[3]	4,929	5,394	5,878	6,394	7,237
Bernalillo	$ 6,546	$ 7,447	$ 8,198	$ 8,906	$ 9,823
Catron	3,825	4,268	5,313	5,384	4,484
Chaves	5,708	6,507	7,242	8,074	7,984
Colfax	5,030	6,057	6,964	7,670	7,296
Curry	$ 5,589	$ 6,517	$ 7,203	$ 8,116	$ 8,002
De Baca	5,812	6,829	8,259	8,163	7,364
Dona Ana	4,929	5,394	5,878	6,394	7,237
Eddy	6,180	6,477	7,267	8,128	9,000
Grant	$ 5,853	$ 6,020	$ 6,997	$ 7,390	$ 8,772
Guadalupe	3,663	4,708	5,453	5,851	5,161
Harding	4,207	6,366	7,227	7,028	7,452
Hidalgo	5,682	5,929	6,860	7,785	8,456
Lea	$ 6,708	$ 7,296	$ 8,278	$ 9,711	$10,713
Lincoln	5,399	6,475	7,390	7,529	8,140
Los Alamos	10,051	11,521	12,560	13,998	15,536
Luna	5,417	6,021	6,639	6,989	7,241
McKinley	$ 4,338	$ 5,031	$ 5,640	$ 6,006	$ 6,170
Mora	2,891	3,540	3,945	4,716	3,824
Otero	5,333	5,724	6,273	6,948	7,881
Quay	4,761	6,094	6,690	7,257	6,427
Rio Arriba	$ 3,973	$ 4,536	$ 5,036	$ 5,694	$ 6,275
Roosevelt	5,219	6,205	7,104	7,758	7,472
Sandoval	3,721	4,097	4,545	4,861	5,295
San Juan	6,233	7,067	7,620	8,195	8,832
San Miguel	$ 3,612	$ 4,159	$ 4,588	$ 4,900	$ 5,321
Santa Fe	6,019	6,824	7,380	8,305	9,130
Sierra	4,603	5,613	6,060	7,406	8,046
Socorro	3,927	4,305	4,886	5,418	5,474
Taos	$ 4,191	$ 4,716	$ 5,481	$ 6,130	$ 6,779
Torrance	4,287	4,967	5,663	5,890	6,011
Union	3,892	6,757	7,089	8,759	4,411
Valencia	5,210	5,964	6,753	6,709	6,932

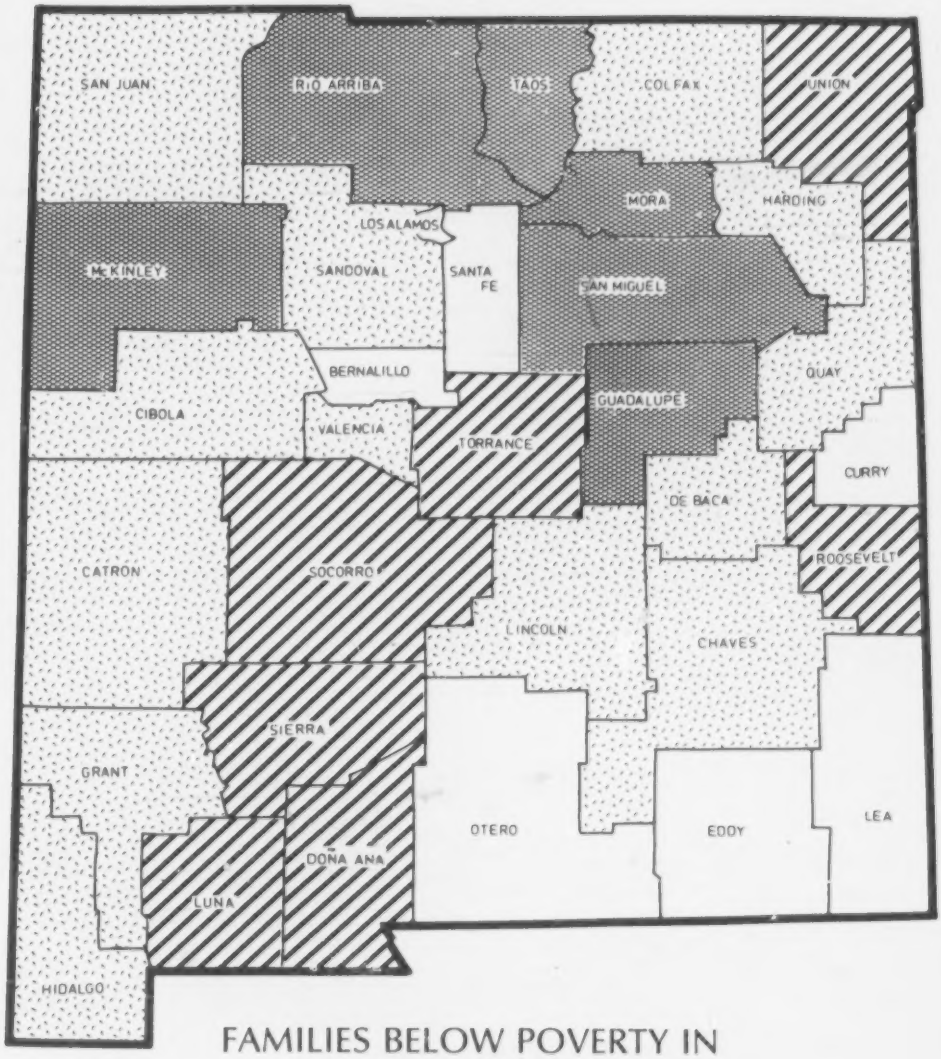
1 Income earned by place of residence.
2 Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties.
3 Dona Ana County.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, *Local Area Personal Income, 1976-81.*



PERSONAL INCOME BY SOURCE--NEW MEXICO
1977-1982
(in millions)

	1977	1980	1981	1982	% Change 1977-82
INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE					
Total Personal Income	$7,040	$10,298	$11,605	$12,492	74.4
Nonfarm Personal Income	6,878	9,999	11,434	12,303	78.9
Farm Personal Income	161	300	171	189	17.4
INCOME BY TYPE					
Wages & Salaries	$4,520	$ 6,513	$ 7,343	$ 7,852	73.7
Other Labor Income	367	550	642	724	97.3
Proprietors' Income	513	621	505	498	-2.9
INCOME BY INDUSTRY					
Farm	$ 161	$ 300	$ 171	$ 189	17.4
Nonfarm	5,239	7,385	8,319	8,884	69.6
Agr. Services, Forestry, Fisheries, & Other	20	26	29	31	55.0
Mining	453	759	893	807	78.1
Coal Mining	na	W	W	W	na
Oil & Gas Extraction	na	W	W	W	na
Metal Mining	na	277	270	181	na
Nonmetallic Minerals, Except Fuels	na	73	84	81	na
Construction	441	575	635	665	50.8
Manufacturing	381	554	607	655	71.9
Durable	232	359	401	440	89.7
Nondurable	149	195	205	215	44.3
Transportation & Public Utilities	429	649	752	818	90.7
Wholesale Trade	249	366	419	450	80.7
Retail Trade	610	790	858	929	52.3
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	221	313	340	373	68.8
Services	893	1,325	1,507	1,685	88.7
Government	1,543	2,029	2,279	2,471	60.1
Federal, Civilian	450	569	625	636	41.3
Federal, Military	197	240	273	315	59.9
State & Local	896	1,220	1,381	1,520	69.6

na Not Available.
W Withheld to avoid disclosure.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, *Survey of Current Business*, August 1983, and Unpublished Reports.



FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY IN NEW MEXICO

<12% 12–18% 18–24% >24%

NOTE: Cibola and Valencia were a single county in 1980.

FAMILY INCOME--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1979

	Median Family Income	% of Families with Incomes of	
		Less than Poverty Level	$25,000 or over
STATE	$16,928	14.0	27.7
Bernalillo	$19,294	10.1	33.8
Catron	11,884	17.4	12.8
Chaves	14,809	14.3	21.7
Colfax	15,833	13.5	22.1
Curry	$15,481	11.7	22.3
De Baca	12,052	14.5	15.0
Doña Ana	14,914	18.3	22.6
Eddy	17,086	10.1	23.9
Grant	$17,839	12.4	26.2
Guadalupe	10,532	27.0	9.0
Harding	12,792	16.9	14.1
Hidalgo	16,166	14.7	24.6
Lea	$20,444	9.0	33.3
Lincoln	15,817	13.2	23.0
Los Alamos	30,307	3.5	66.2
Luna	11,555	19.2	15.1
McKinley	$12,875	33.2	22.0
Mora	8,608	36.9	4.8
Otero	14,711	11.6	20.2
Quay	14,390	15.3	21.6
Rio Arriba	$11,699	25.1	12.3
Roosevelt	12,178	21.1	19.5
Sandoval	15,791	14.4	22.6
San Juan	18,315	16.1	31.2
San Miguel	$10,841	26.9	11.9
Santa Fe	18,619	11.2	32.1
Sierra	10,350	18.9	8.7
Socorro	12,219	22.2	15.1
Taos	$12,089	24.1	14.7
Torrance	11,978	19.7	14.4
Union	13,149	19.1	20.9
Valencia	17,832	12.4	30.5

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, New Mexico.*

INCOME OF SPANISH ORIGIN FAMILIES--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1979

	Median Family Income	% of Families with Incomes of	
		Less than Poverty Level	$25,000 or over
STATE	$13,512	20.7	16.5
Bernalillo	$15,245	16.7	20.2
Catron	12,740	15.1	10.2
Chaves	10,814	29.6	7.4
Colfax	13,074	22.2	14.5
Curry	$11,265	26.4	9.7
De Baca	9,865	24.7	0.0
Dona Ana	11,451	27.6	11.8
Eddy	12,476	21.0	8.6
Grant	$16,096	17.6	20.4
Guadalupe	10,386	28.9	6.6
Harding	11,607	15.9	6.1
Hidalgo	13,150	19.6	19.6
Lea	$14,329	19.9	14.7
Lincoln	11,794	22.4	8.0
Los Alamos	24,091	4.3	45.5
Luna	10,139	32.0	11.6
McKinley	$16,554	22.7	25.4
Mora	7,848	41.7	2.5
Otero	12,357	18.7	10.9
Quay	12,208	24.9	9.1
Rio Arriba	$11,230	26.6	11.1
Roosevelt	8,488	39.7	5.8
Sandoval	13,201	18.1	15.7
San Juan	16,640	12.0	20.4
San Miguel	$ 9,887	29.8	9.4
Santa Fe	16,455	14.1	24.0
Sierra	9,441	24.5	8.0
Socorro	11,172	23.6	9.9
Taos	$11,151	27.5	10.6
Torrance	10,165	31.2	5.4
Union	10,818	31.2	11.2
Valencia	16,142	15.4	23.5

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, New Mexico.*

INCOME OF PERSONS[1] BY SEX, RACE, AND SPANISH ORIGIN--NEW MEXICO
1979

	Median Income
TOTAL	
Male	$10,657
Female	4,600
White	
Male	11,723
Female	4,877
Black	
Male	7,733
Female	4,037
American Indian	
Male	6,147
Female	3,484
Spanish Origin	
Male	8,530
Female	3,796

1 Persons 15 years old and over, both full-time and part-time workers.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Detailed Population Characteristics, New Mexico, 1980* and *General, Social, and Economic Characteristics, New Mexico, 1980.*

INCOME BY SEX AND EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT--NEW MEXICO
1979

		Elementary		High School		College			
	Total	0 to 7 Years	8 Years	1 to 3 Years	4 Years	1 to 3 Years	4 Years	5 & 6 Years	7 or More Years
Males > 18 Years Median Income	$11,259	$5,522	$7,798	$8,296	$11,169	$12,214	$17,534	$19,542	$23,452
Females > 18 Years Median Income	4,870	2,588	2,974	3,335	5,411	5,848	8,025	11,183	12,692

1 Includes full-time and part-time workers.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Detailed Population Characteristics, New Mexico, 1980.*

Land and Climate

CLIMATE OF NEW MEXICO
1981

	Station	Elevation (Feet)	Temperature Low	Temperature High	Average First Freeze Date	Precipitation (Inches)
Bernalillo	Albuquerque Airport	5,311	12°	104°	Oct. 30	7.7
Catron	Quemado	6,879	- 4	97	Sept. 24	13.1
Chaves	Roswell	3,636	6	109	Oct. 29	24.3
Colfax	Raton	6,933	-17	98	Oct. 6	18.9
Curry	Clovis	4,280	2	107	Oct. 28	23.1
De Baca	Ft. Sumner	4,030	1	107	Oct. 2[illegible]	17.3
Dona Ana	NM State University	3,881	20	107	Oct. 28	9.7
Eddy	Carlsbad	3,120	6	107	Nov. 5	15.8
	Artesia	3,320	2	108	Oct. 28	14.8
Grant	Ft. Bayard	6,142	6	99	Oct. 24	16.8
Guadalupe	Santa Rosa	4,620	0	106	Oct. 25	11.9
Hidalgo	Lordsburg	4,250	12	105	Nov. 4	18.0
Lea	Hobbs	3,615	5	105	Nov. 4	23.4
Lincoln	Carrizozo	6,220	5	105	Oct. 7	11.2
Luna	Deming Airport	4,301	17	107	Oct. 28	na
Otero	Alamogordo	5,350	20	110	Nov. 5	12.6
Roosevelt	Portales	4,010	1	108	Oct. 19	21.5
Sandoval	Jemez Springs	6,250	9	99	Oct. 20	15.1
San Juan	Aztec	5,640	- 2	102	Oct. 9	9.4
San Miguel	Las Vegas Airport	6,857	- 6	99	Oct. 8	21.8
Santa Fe	College of Santa Fe	7,200	7	97	Oct. 13	13.5
Sierra	Caballo Dam	4,190	19°	108°	Nov. 4	10.1
Socorro	Socorro	4,585	8	103	Oct. 24	11.5
Taos	Taos	6,945	-11	95	Oct. 3	8.7
Torrance	Estancia	6,107	2	102	Oct. 1	14.1
Union	Clayton	4,970	-10	100	Oct. 20	17.6
Valencia	Los Lunas	4,840	6	102	Oct. 18	9.1

na Not available.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, *Climatological Data, 1981 Annual Summary, New Mexico* and U.S. Department of Agriculture, N.M. Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, *New Mexico Agricultural Statistics, 1981.*

LAND AND WATER AREA--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Total Acres	Land	Inland Water[1]
STATE	77,866,240	77,719,053	147,187
Bernalillo	748,160	748,160	0
Catron	4,414,720	4,414,314	406
Chaves	3,900,800	3,899,672	1,128
Colfax	2,413,440	2,406,264	7,176
Curry	898,560	898,460	100
De Baca	1,514,240	1,510,905	3,335
Dona Ana	2,434,560	2,434,560	0
Eddy	2,675,200	2,667,706	7,494
Grant	2,540,800	2,540,312	488
Guadalupe	1,919,360	1,918,135	1,225
Harding	1,368,320	1,368,280	40
Hidalgo	2,206,080	2,193,472	12,608
Lea	2,812,160	2,809,490	2,670
Lincoln	3,109,760	3,109,587	173
Los Alamos	69,120	69,120	0
Luna	1,892,480	1,892,480	0
McKinley	3,495,040	3,491,390	3,650
Mora	1,244,160	1,242,929	1,231
Otero	4,248,320	4,248,320	0
Quay	1,845,120	1,840,445	4,675
Rio Arriba	3,765,120	3,748,624	16,496
Roosevelt	1,572,480	1,569,237	3,243
Sandoval	2,378,880	2,377,640	1,240
San Juan	3,530,240	3,521,301	8,939
San Miguel	3,050,880	3,038,903	11,977
Santa Fe	1,221,760	1,221,553	207
Sierra	2,700,160	2,660,683	39,477
Socorro	4,240,640	4,230,119	10,521
Taos	1,444,480	1,444,040	440
Torrance	2,147,200	2,141,180	6,020
Union	2,442,880	2,442,500	380
Valencia	3,621,120	3,619,272	1,848

1 Inland water areas are included in ownership.
Source: U.S. Bureau of Reclamation and New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission, *Preliminary Draft, Situation Assessment Report.*

LAND OWNERSHIP[1]--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Federal	Indian	State	Private & Other
STATE	26,735,431	7,348,563	9,413,017	34,369,229
Bernalillo	154,590	222,527	32,201	338,842
Catron	2,799,004	0	533,037	1,082,679
Chaves	1,265,500	0	703,706	1,931,594
Colfax	15,740	0	278,189	2,119,511
Curry	3,862	0	60,667	834,031
De Baca	90,848	0	243,570	1,179,822
Dona Ana	1,821,515	0	286,910	326,135
Eddy	1,648,563	0	477,730	548,907
Grant	1,270,877	24,000	367,685	878,238
Guadalupe	120,053	0	177,810	1,621,497
Harding	70,506	0	344,981	952,833
Hidalgo	882,679	11,000	354,431	957,970
Lea	466,952	0	873,748	1,471,460
Lincoln	1,103,482	0	300,841	1,705,437
Los Alamos	64,448	0	0	4,672
Luna	786,150	0	534,951	571,379
McKinley	564,580	2,158,410	183,974	583,076
Mora	107,642	0	81,638	1,054,880
Otero	2,886,626	460,255	449,908	451,531
Quay	14,535	0	237,714	1,592,871
Rio Arriba	1,953,173	646,932	108,530	1,056,485
Roosevelt	38,517	0	211,140	1,322,823
Sandoval	987,297	650,380	80,192	661,011
San Juan	1,039,281	2,110,692	168,416	211,851
San Miguel	394,215	0	173,808	2,482,857
Santa Fe	336,157	79,548	85,857	720,198
Sierra	1,830,310	0	361,195	508,655
Socorro	2,318,458	56,680	609,547	1,255,955
Taos	733,325	62,288	97,144	551,723
Torrance	207,787	16,300	299,805	1,623,308
Union	58,725	0	441,946	1,942,209
Valencia	700,034	849,551	251,746	1,819,789

1 In acres. Includes inland water area.
Source: U.S. Bureau of Reclamation and New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission, *Preliminary Draft, Situation Assessment Report.*

Law Enforcement

CRIME RATES[1]--NEW MEXICO AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES
1981

	Total Offenses	Violent Crime				Property Crime		
		Murder[2]	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny/ Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft
ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES	6,683	7.8	39.1	150.4	313	1,756	4,043	373
Montana	5,019	3.4	22.1	38.1	189	966	3,519	280
Idaho	4,531	4.5	20.6	37.7	220	1,174	2,860	214
Wyoming	5,132	5.5	35.4	41.9	347	961	3,450	291
Colorado	7,353	8.1	45.6	159.5	319	2,032	4,376	414
New Mexico	6,201	11.4	47.3	140.8	472	1,613	3,561	355
Arizona	7,614	8.1	38.1	177.6	352	2,064	4,564	410
Utah	5,750	3.3	28.4	84.8	182	1,275	3,882	294
Nevada	8,592	17.5	64.9	458.0	356	2,727	4,373	595
U.S. AVERAGE	5,800	9.8	35.6	250.6	281	1,632	3,122	469

1 Per 100,000 population.
2 Includes negligent manslaughter.
Source: U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime In the United States, 1981.*

CRIMINAL OFFENSES KNOWN TO THE POLICE--NEW MEXICO

	1981	1980	% Change
TOTAL	75,887	71,959	5.5
Murder	143	156	-8.3
Rape	589	543	8.5
Robbery	1,682	1,631	3.1
Aggravated Assault	5,675	5,646	.5
Burglary	19,513	18,513	5.4
Larceny	43,926	41,960	4.7
Motor Vehicle Theft	4,359	3,510	24.2

Source: N.M. State Police, *New Mexico Crime Reports, 1981.*

1982 LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN TO THE POLICE
NEW MEXICO--SELECTED CITIES

	Law* Enforcement Officers	Total	Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft
Alamogordo	47	1,664	1	10	10	216	367	995	65
Albuquerque	564	29,214	26	199	926	1,508	7,980	17,214	1,361
Carlsbad	38	1,664	1	4	14	57	330	1,197	61
Clovis	49	1,678	4	19	15	77	387	1,125	51
Deming	23	818	0	6	8	26	199	544	35
Farmington	80	3,823	3	27	85	527	730	2,313	138
Gallup	43	3,348	0	24	42	496	404	2,195	187
Grants	22	872	0	2	7	106	291	444	22
Hobbs	64	2,648	7	19	53	262	488	1,706	113
Las Cruces	72	4,297	3	19	53	171	1,060	2,811	180
Los Alamos	30	412	1	2	1	13	83	300	12
Lovington	19	636	0	1	3	20	116	470	26
Portales	17	522	0	1	5	34	169	287	26
Roswell	75	3,290	8	13	30	155	619	2,332	133
Santa Fe	95	5,082	4	36	75	455	1,050	3,139	323
Silver City	28	672	1	2	5	46	148	454	16

* Does not include civilian employees.
Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reports, *Crime in the United States, 1982.*

Manufacturing

MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT[1]--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	1972	1977	1982	1982 As a % of Total	% Change 1972-1982
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	327.5	415.4	473.9	NA	44.7
Manufacturing	26.1	32.2	34.0	7.2	30.3
Durable Goods	15.4	18.7	21.4	4.5	39.0
Lumber & Wood Products	3.2	3.2	2.0	0.4	-37.5
Electric & Electronic Equipment	3.1	3.3	4.3	0.9	38.7
Transportation Equipment	1.8	2.2	4.1	0.9	127.8
Other Durable Goods	7.3	10.0	11.0	2.3	50.7
Nondurable Goods	10.6	13.5	12.6	2.7	18.9
Food & Kindred Products	4.2	4.7	3.9	0.8	- 7.1
Textile & Apparel	2.8	3.6	3.0	0.6	7.1
Other Nondurable Goods	3.7	5.2	5.8	1.2	56.8

NA Not applicable.
1 Number of jobs.
Source: N.M. Employment Security Department, Research and Statistics Section.

MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS--NEW MEXICO

	1971	1976	1981	1981 As a % of Total	% Change 1971-1981
TOTAL ESTABLISHMENTS[1]	18,480	23,778	26,834	NA	NA
Manufacturing	759	1,033	1,021	3.8	34.5
Durable Goods	441	672	632	2.4	43.3
Lumber & Wood Products	76	95	101	.4	32.9
Electric & Electronic Equipment	26	38	34	.1	30.8
Transportation Equipment	16	19	15	.1	- 6.3
Other Durable Goods[2]	323	520	482	1.8	49.2
Nondurable Goods	318	361	389	1.4	22.3
Food & Kindred Products	122	115	99	.4	-18.9
Textile & Apparel	23	32	28	.1	21.7
Other Nondurable Goods	173	214	262	1.0	51.4

NA Not applicable.
1 An establishment is a single physical location where business is conducted. However, before 1974 the Bureau of the Census used reporting units rather than establishments. In the case of manufacturing, reporting units are the same as establishments, but for nonmanufacturing industries employers are counted once in each county for each industry they operate, regardless of the number of establishments operated.
2 Includes miscellaneous manufacturing and administrative/auxilliary.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *County Business Patterns*.

Mining

VALUE OF NONFUEL MINERAL PRODUCTION--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES[1]
(in thousands)

County	1979	1980	Minerals Produced in 1980 in Order of Value
STATE	$689,910[r]	$765,609[3]	
Bernalillo	26,660	25,020	Cement, sand & gravel, stone, clays
Catron	W	74	Stone
Chaves	705	535	Sand & gravel
Curry	W	W	Sand & gravel, stone
De Baca	248	W	Sand & gravel
Dona Ana	W	W	Sand & gravel, stone, clays
Eddy	W	W	Potassium salts, salt, sand & gravel, stone
Grant	360,640[r]	377,080	Copper, silver, gold, lime, manganiferous ore, stone, zinc
Guadalupe	W	--	
Harding	W	W	Carbon dioxide
Hidalgo	529	1,171	Stone, silver, gold, clays
Lea	W	W	Potassium salts, sand & gravel, stone, salt
Lincoln	W	W	Sand & gravel
Luna	328	W	Sand & gravel, clays
McKinley	W	W	Stone, molybdenum, sand & gravel
Mora	3	--	
Otero	358	1,177	Sand & gravel, stone
Quay	292	257	Sand & gravel
Rio Arriba	W	W	Sand & gravel, pumice
Roosevelt	33	--	
Sandoval	3,277	1,453	Gypsum, sand & gravel, stone, peat, pumice
San Juan	W	4,889	Sand & gravel, vanadium, stone, helium, clays
San Miguel	84	73	Sand & gravel
Santa Fe	W	W	Sand & gravel, pumice, stone, gypsum
Sierra	W	W	Sand & gravel, gold
Socorro	W	2,215	Perlite, barite, sand & gravel, stone, pumice
Taos	45,522	45,181	Molybdenum, perlite, stone, mica, sand & gravel
Torrance	124	13	Stone
Union	--	W	Stone
Valencia	W	W	Stone, sand & gravel, perlite
Undistributed[2]	251,107[r]	306,473	

[r] Revised.
W Withheld to avoid disclosing company proprietary data; included with "Undistributed."
1 Colfax and Los Alamos Counties not listed because no nonfuel mineral production was reported.
2 Includes some sand and gravel that cannot be assigned to specific counties, gem stones, and values indicated by symbol W.
3 Data do not add to total shown because of independent rounding.
Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, *Minerals Yearbook, 1981.*

PRODUCTION OF MAJOR MINERALS--NEW MEXICO

	Copper (short tons)	Coal (000s short tons)	Crude Oil (000s 42-gal.bbls.)	Natural Gas (mcf)	Potash (000s short tons)	Uranium (tons, U_3O_8)
1970	166,278	7,361	128,184	1,138,980	2,390	5,771
1971	157,419	8,175	118,412	1,167,577	2,291	5,305
1972	168,034	8,248	110,525	1,216,061	2,296	5,464
1973	204,742	9,069	100,986	1,218,749	2,168	4,634
1974	196,585	9,392	98,695	1,244,779	2,102	4,951
1975	146,263	8,785	95,063	1,217,430	2,081	5,191
1976	172,360	9,760	92,130	1,230,976	2,083	6,059
1977	164,698	11,083	87,223	1,202,973	2,085	6,779
1978	140,906	12,632	83,365	1,174,198	2,142	8,539
1979	181,089	15,615	79,649	1,181,363	2,210	7,423
1980	164,679	19,297	75,324	1,149,781	2,060	7,751
1981	169,881	18,685	72,155	1,134,078	1,765	6,206
1982	65,800	19,940	71,024	na	1,670	3,906

na Not Available.
Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, *Minerals Yearbook*; and various publications of the U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration.

VALUE OF SELECTED MINERALS--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	Total	Copper	Coal	Gold & Silver	Petroleum (Crude)	Nat. Gas & NG Liquids	Potash	Uranium	Other
1970	$1,060,251	$191,885	$ 21,273	$ 1,702	$ 410,189	$ 225,601	$ 85,877	$ 69,970	$ 53,754
1971	1,046,276	163,715	26,650	1,651	402,601	246,933	86,689	65,517	52,520
1972	1,097,385	172,067	29,775	2,586	376,890	301,079	91,115	68,091	55,782
1973	1,306,562	243,643	31,832	4,199	414,043	394,765	91,996	60,356	65,728
1974	$1,941,544	$303,920	$ W	$ 8,092	$ 712,578	$ 565,187	$128,588	$104,693	$118,486
1975	2,091,541	187,802	W	5,931	788,073	660,416	179,924	127,829	141,566
1976	2,510,137	239,925	W	5,785	814,429	927,447	165,354	191,271	165,926
1977	2,632,289	220,037	87,999	6,253	805,068	974,408	169,616	267,771[2]	101,137
1978	$2,967,301	$187,405	$127,331	$ 1,912[1]	$ 834,484	$1,160,108	$183,554	$368,885[2]	$103,622
1979	3,993,714	336,934	211,583	7,065[1]	1,119,864	1,613,742	228,776	354,077[2]	121,673
1980	5,290,568	337,328	270,351	9,670[1]	1,794,217	2,021,315	289,011	436,381[2]	132,295
1981	6,378,101	289,204	339,693	47,391	2,529,032	2,415,033	261,200	399,666[2]	96,882
1982	$3,349,783[3]	$ 97,384	$382,649	$21,572[1]	$2,261,404	na	$210,000	$298,028[2]	$ 78,746

na Not Available.
W Withheld to avoid disclosing company proprietary data, value included in the "other" category.
1 Does not include the value of silver. Silver is included in the "other" category.
2 Based on a per unit price as reported by buyers.
3 Incomplete total; does not include the value of natural gas and natural gas liquids.
Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Mines, *Minerals Yearbook*, and various publications of the U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration.

NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION--NEW MEXICO AND U.S.

	1970	1975	1980	1981
Marketed Production (millions cu. ft.)				
New Mexico	1,138,980	1,217,430	1,149,781	1,134,113
U.S.	21,920,642	20,108,661	20,378,787	20,177,701
Residential Consumption Per Customer (millions Btu)				
New Mexico	130.3	126.6	99.1	86.8
U.S.	129.2	121.9	110.9	104.4
Number of Utility Customers (thousands)				
New Mexico	231.8	278.9	327.6	337.7
U.S.	41,482.1	44,554.5	47,165.3	47,844.1
Gas Consumed for Electric Generation (millions cu. ft.)				
New Mexico	54,894	64,239	56,280	54,558
U.S.	3,931,860	3,146,874	3,681,595	3,642,550

Source: American Gas Association, Department of Statistics, *Gas Facts; A Statistical Record of the Gas Utility Industry, 1981.*

Population

NEW MEXICO PLACES
1980 POPULATION

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

- 50,000 and over
- 20,000 to 50,000
- 10,000 to 20,000
- 5,000 to 10,000
- 1,000 to 5,000

COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Population		Change 1970-1980		Components of Change			
							Net Migration[1]	
	1970	1980	Number	Percent	Births	Deaths	Number	Percent
STATE	1,017,055	1,303,143	286,088	28.1	223,453	80,874	143,509	14.1
Bernalillo	315,774	420,261	104,487	33.1	62,988	22,776	64,275	20.4
Catron	2,198	2,720	522	23.7	381	200	341	15.5
Chaves	43,335	21,103	7,768	17.9	8,009	4,523	4,282	9.9
Colfax	12,170	13,667	1,497	12.3	2,170	1,241	568	4.7
Curry	39,517	42,019	2,502	6.3	9,830	2,838	-4,490	-11.4
De Baca	2,547	2,454	- 93	- 3.7	327	326	- 94	- 3.7
Dona Ana	69,773	96,340	26,567	38.1	15,964	4,306	14,909	21.4
Eddy	41,119	47,855	6,736	16.4	7,728	3,748	2,756	6.7
Grant	22,030	26,204	4,174	18.9	4,987	1,818	1,005	4.6
Guadalupe	4,969	4,496	- 473	- 9.5	826	425	- 874	-17.6
Harding	1,348	1,090	- 258	-19.1	128	116	- 270	-20.0
Hidalgo	4,734	6,049	1,315	27.8	1,301	498	512	10.8
Lea	49,554	55,993	6,439	13.0	10,421	3,523	- 459	- 0.9
Lincoln	7,560	10,997	3,437	45.5	1,505	760	2,692	35.6
Los Alamos	15,198	17,599	2,401	15.8	1,836	492	1,057	7.0
Luna	11,706	15,585	3,879	33.1	2,766	1,459	2,572	22.0
McKinley	43,208	56,536	13,328	30.8	14,910	3,719	2,137	4.9
Mora	4,673	4,205	- 468	-10.0	737	417	- 788	-16.9
Otero	41,097	44,665	3,568	8.7	9,788	2,405	-3,815	- 9.3
Quay	10,903	10,577	- 326	- 3.0	1,796	1,306	- 816	- 7.5
Rio Arriba	25,170	29,282	4,112	16.3	6,494	2,291	- 91	- 0.4
Roosevelt	16,479	15,695	- 784	- 4.8	2,806	1,418	-2,172	-13.2
Sandoval	17,492	34,400	16,908	96.7	5,211	1,897	13,594	77.7
San Juan	52,517	81,433	28,916	55.1	15,912	3,965	16,969	32.3
San Miguel	21,951	22,751	800	3.6	4,508	1,979	-1,729	- 7.9
Santa Fe	54,774	75,360	20,586	37.6	11,177	4,223	13,632	24.9
Sierra	7,189	8,454	1,265	17.6	889	1,449	1,825	25.4
Socorro	9,763	12,566	2,803	28.7	2,265	923	1,461	15.0
Taos	17,516	19,456	1,940	11.1	3,749	1,478	- 331	- 1.9
Torrance	5,290	7,491	2,201	41.6	964	506	1,743	32.9
Union	4,925	4,725	- 200	- 4.1	748	579	- 369	- 7.5
Valencia[2]	40,576	61,115	20,539	50.6	10,332	3,270	13,477	33.2

1 Net migration was calculated as the difference between net change and natural increase.
2 Valencia County was split to form two new counties, Cibola and Valencia, on June 19, 1981. The 1980 Census populations of the counties are 30,347 in Cibola County and 30,768 in Valencia County.
Source: Bureau of Business and Economic Research, the University of New Mexico, August 1983.

NEW MEXICO COUNTY POPULATION
1910-1980

	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980
STATE	327,301	360,350	423,317	531,818	681,187	951,023	1,017,055	1,303,143
Bernalillo	23,606	29,855	45,430	69,391	145,673	262,199	315,774	420,261
Catron[1]	NA	NA	3,282	4,881	3,533	2,773	2,198	2,720
Chaves[2]	16,850	12,075	19,549	23,980	40,605	57,649	43,335	51,103
Colfax	16,460	21,550	19,157	18,718	16,761	13,806	12,170	13,667
Curry[2]	11,443	11,236	15,809	18,159	23,351	32,691	39,517	42,019
De Baca[2]	NA	3,196	2,893	3,725	3,464	2,991	2,547	2,454
Dona Ana	12,893	16,548	27,455	30,411	39,557	59,948	69,773	96,340
Eddy[2]	12,400	9,116	15,842	24,311	40,640	50,783	41,119	47,855
Grant[3]	14,813	21,939	19,050	20,050	21,649	18,700	22,030	26,204
Guadalupe[2]	10,927	8,015	7,027	8,646	6,772	5,610	4,969	4,496
Harding[1]	NA	NA	4,421	4,374	3,013	1,874	1,348	1,090
Hidalgo[3]	NA	4,338	5,023	4,821	5,095	4,961	4,734	6,049
Lea[2]	NA	3,545	6,144	21,154	30,717	53,429	49,554	55,993
Lincoln	7,822	7,823	7,198	8,557	7,409	7,744	7,560	10,997
Los Alamos[4]	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,476	13,037	15,198	17,599
Luna	3,913	12,270	6,247	6,457	8,753	9,839	11,706	15,585
McKinley	12,963	13,731	20,643	23,641	27,451	37,209	43,208	56,536
Mora[1]	12,611	13,915	10,322	10,981	8,720	6,028	4,673	4,205
Otero	7,069	7,902	9,779	10,522	14,909	36,976	41,097	44,665
Quay	14,912	10,444	10,828	12,111	13,971	12,279	10,903	10,577
Rio Arriba	16,624	19,552	21,381	25,352	24,997	24,193	25,170	29,282
Roosevelt[2]	12,064	6,548	11,109	14,549	16,409	16,198	16,479	15,695
Sandoval[4]	8,579	8,863	11,144	13,898	12,438	14,201	17,492	34,400
San Juan	8,504	8,333	14,701	17,115	18,292	53,306	52,517	81,433
San Miguel	22,930	22,867	23,636	27,910	26,512	23,468	22,951	22,751
Santa Fe[4]	14,770	15,030	19,567	30,826	38,153	44,970	54,774	75,360
Sierra	3,536	4,619	5,184	6,962	7,186	6,409	7,189	8,454
Socorro[1]	14,761	14,061	9,611	11,422	9,670	10,168	9,763	12,566
Taos	12,008	12,773	14,394	18,528	17,146	15,934	17,516	19,456
Torrance	10,119	9,731	9,269	11,026	8,012	6,497	5,290	7,491
Union[1]	11,404	16,680	11,036	9,095	7,372	6,068	4,925	4,725
Valencia	13,320	13,795	16,186	20,245	22,481	39,085	40,576	61,115

NA Not applicable.
1 1921: Catron County was organized from part of Socorro; Harding County was organized from parts of Union and Mora.
2 1917: De Baca County was organized from parts of Chaves, Guadalupe, and Roosevelt; Lea County was organized from parts of Chaves and Eddy. Roosevelt County annexed a strip of land from Chaves.
3 1919: Hidalgo County was organized from part of Grant.
4 1949: Los Alamos County was organized from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

POPULATION[1]--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES 1950-1960

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
STATE	681,200	701,000	718,900	751,900	766,800	786,700	829,500	877,200	912,300	937,300	951,000
Bernalillo	145,700	157,000	163,100	177,600	185,000	197,400	209,800	224,300	244,200	255,700	262,200
Catron	3,500	3,100	3,000	2,900	2,900	2,600	2,800	2,800	2,700	2,900	2,800
Chaves	40,600	43,800	45,500	48,300	50,500	51,500	51,500	53,700	55,200	56,800	57,600
Colfax	16,800	15,900	15,500	14,800	14,100	13,200	13,200	13,300	13,400	13,700	13,800
Curry	23,400	23,400	22,900	23,600	24,100	25,800	25,800	27,800	29,500	31,200	32,700
De Baca	3,500	3,400	3,400	3,300	3,300	2,900	2,900	3,300	3,100	3,100	3,000
Dona Ana	39,600	39,000	40,700	42,100	43,100	46,600	49,800	52,300	56,100	58,500	60,000
Eddy	40,600	44,200	47,000	47,100	46,300	47,200	49,900	51,800	51,200	51,000	50,800
Grant	21,600	22,500	23,600	23,600	21,200	21,200	21,700	21,500	19,500	18,800	18,700
Guadalupe	6,800	6,800	6,700	6,400	6,300	6,000	6,100	6,200	6,000	5,800	5,600
Harding	3,000	2,900	2,800	2,600	2,600	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,200	1,900
Hidalgo	5,100	5,200	5,500	5,500	5,300	5,200	5,200	5,200	5,000	5,000	5,000
Lea	30,700	32,400	35,700	43,700	45,800	48,500	52,900	55,300	54,200	53,900	53,400
Lincoln	7,400	7,500	7,600	7,800	8,100	7,400	7,400	7,900	7,900	7,900	7,700
Los Alamos	10,500	12,000	12,800	12,700	12,700	12,900	12,900	13,200	13,000	13,000	13,000
Luna	8,800	8,800	8,900	9,000	10,800	9,200	9,200	9,500	9,500	9,800	9,800
McKinley	27,500	28,200	29,000	30,000	31,500	31,700	32,500	34,400	34,200	36,300	37,200
Mora	8,700	8,000	7,600	7,100	7,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,000	6,000
Otero	14,900	15,900	17,100	20,100	22,600	25,700	31,200	34,200	34,400	38,500	37,000
Quay	14,000	14,000	13,500	13,300	13,200	12,500	12,400	12,200	12,100	12,000	12,300
Rio Arriba	25,000	24,400	23,800	23,400	23,200	22,500	23,400	23,400	23,500	22,500	24,200
Roosevelt	16,400	16,500	16,100	16,100	16,200	16,000	16,000	16,000	15,900	16,000	16,200
Sandoval	12,400	11,900	11,800	11,900	12,200	11,800	11,400	12,500	13,600	13,500	14,200
San Juan	18,300	20,800	25,400	30,100	31,100	31,200	38,800	48,100	51,500	54,500	53,300
San Miguel	26,500	25,900	25,300	24,400	24,200	23,800	23,700	23,700	23,600	23,500	23,500
Santa Fe	38,200	37,700	37,000	37,100	37,200	37,600	40,500	41,600	42,400	43,100	45,000
Sierra	7,200	6,500	6,300	6,400	6,400	6,300	6,200	6,300	6,400	6,500	64,000
Socorro	9,700	9,400	9,200	9,200	8,900	8,900	9,300	10,300	10,700	10,100	10,200
Taos	17,200	16,900	15,600	15,400	15,200	15,800	15,800	15,800	15,800	15,800	15,900
Torrance	8,000	7,600	7,300	7,200	7,200	6,000	6,200	6,300	6,300	6,300	6,500
Union	7,400	7,000	6,900	6,800	6,400	6,000	6,200	6,300	6,100	6,100	6,100
Valencia	22,500	22,400	22,300	22,400	22,100	25,000	26,500	29,700	37,000	36,300	39,100

1 1950 and 1960 are April 1 (Census) counts, rounded to the nearest hundred. All other years, July 1 estimates. Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1950 and 1960 *Censuses of Population and Housing*; Bureau of Business and Economic Research, *Business Information Series*, No. 38.

POPULATION[1]--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1960-1970

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
STATE	951,000	965,000	979,000	989,000	1,006,000	1,012,000	1,007,000	1,000,000	994,000	1,011,000	1,017,100
Bernalillo	262,200	273,900	281,000	293,500	305,100	306,900	307,800	309,500	309,600	314,700	315,800
Catron	2,800	2,800	2,700	2,700	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,200	2,200	2,200
Chaves	57,600	60,100	65,500	63,200	63,000	61,000	53,800	48,000	42,500	43,300	43,300
Colfax	13,800	13,700	13,700	13,500	13,200	13,100	13,000	12,600	12,400	12,100	12,200
Curry	32,700	32,300	33,000	33,400	34,500	35,100	35,200	34,800	35,600	38,000	39,500
De Baca	3,000	2,900	2,800	2,800	2,700	2,700	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500
Dona Ana	60,000	59,400	60,000	61,600	64,300	68,800	69,500	68,600	68,000	69,000	69,800
Eddy	50,800	50,600	50,900	49,800	49,400	48,000	46,500	45,500	41,000	41,000	41,100
Grant	18,700	18,600	18,800	18,700	18,900	19,300	19,600	20,200	21,000	22,100	22,000
Guadalupe	5,600	5,600	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,400	5,400	5,300	5,200	5,000	5,000
Harding	1,900	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,700	1,600	1,500	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,300
Hidalgo	5,000	5,000	5,100	5,200	5,300	5,300	5,300	5,200	4,800	4,800	4,700
Lea	53,400	53,400	52,900	53,600	53,600	52,200	51,300	49,900	49,800	49,700	49,600
Lincoln	7,700	7,700	7,800	7,900	7,900	8,000	7,800	7,800	7,700	7,600	7,600
Los Alamos	13,000	13,000	13,500	13,800	14,200	14,700	15,300	15,000	15,000	15,100	15,200
Luna	9,800	9,900	10,100	10,300	10,400	10,500	10,500	10,600	11,200	11,400	11,700
McKinley	37,200	38,100	39,000	39,500	40,300	41,000	40,200	41,100	42,500	43,000	43,200
Mora	6,000	6,000	6,000	5,900	5,800	5,800	5,200	5,000	4,800	4,700	4,700
Otero	37,000	36,000	34,200	34,000	35,000	35,700	36,000	36,400	38,800	40,800	41,100
Quay	12,300	12,400	12,600	13,000	13,100	12,800	12,500	11,700	11,100	10,900	10,900
Rio Arriba	24,200	24,000	24,000	24,000	24,100	24,600	24,700	24,900	25,000	25,100	25,200
Roosevelt	16,200	16,200	16,200	16,200	16,300	16,500	16,900	16,600	16,500	16,500	16,500
Sandoval	14,200	14,400	14,600	14,800	15,000	15,200	16,300	16,500	16,800	17,300	17,500
San Juan	53,300	54,000	54,600	51,200	50,000	49,200	50,100	51,400	51,400	52,300	52,500
San Miguel	23,500	23,400	23,000	22,600	22,800	22,700	23,000	22,600	22,300	22,100	22,000
Santa Fe	45,000	45,800	46,300	47,000	48,000	49,400	50,800	51,300	52,000	53,500	54,800
Sierra	6,400	6,400	6,500	6,700	6,800	6,900	6,900	7,000	7,000	7,100	7,200
Socorro	10,200	10,100	10,000	10,000	9,900	9,900	9,800	9,800	9,700	9,800	9,800
Taos	15,900	16,000	16,100	16,300	16,300	16,800	16,700	16,700	16,800	17,400	17,500
Torrance	6,500	6,300	6,200	6,100	6,000	6,100	6,100	5,900	5,700	5,500	5,300
Union	6,100	6,100	6,000	6,000	5,900	5,700	5,500	5,200	5,000	5,000	4,900
Valencia	39,100	39,100	38,600	38,400	38,400	38,600	38,700	38,600	38,700	40,100	40,600

1 1960 and 1970 are April 1 (Census) counts, rounded to the nearest hundred. All other years, July 1 estimates. Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Current Population Reports*, Series P-25, No. 460 and 468; Bureau of Business and Economic Research, University of New Mexico, *Business Information Series*, No. 49.

POPULATION[1]--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1970-1980

	1970[2]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980[2]
STATE[3]	1,017,000	1,053,000	1,078,000	1,104,000	1,130,000	1,164,000	1,196,000	1,227,000	1,254,000	1,283,000	1,303,100
Bernalillo	315,800	330,900	341,700	353,600	365,200	373,100	382,000	392,700	399,400	410,900	420,300
Catron	2,200	2,100	2,300	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,500	2,600	2,700	2,700	2,700
Chaves	43,300	45,300	45,700	45,100	45,600	46,600	47,300	48,400	48,600	49,400	51,100
Colfax	12,200	12,000	12,300	12,600	12,900	13,100	13,400	13,300	13,200	13,400	13,700
Curry	39,500	41,300	41,900	42,700	43,000	43,800	41,500	41,900	42,700	42,900	42,000
De Baca	2,500	2,600	2,400	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,400	2,500	2,400	2,500
Dona Ana	69,800	72,700	76,200	76,800	78,900	81,800	85,000	88,300	92,400	93,700	96,300
Eddy	41,100	40,600	40,800	40,900	41,100	42,600	44,800	45,600	46,600	47,300	47,900
Grant	22,000	22,600	22,800	23,500	23,800	24,700	24,400	25,100	25,400	25,200	26,200
Guadalupe	5,000	4,900	5,000	4,900	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,600	4,600	4,500
Harding	1,300	1,400	1,300	1,300	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,100	1,100	1,100
Hidalgo	4,700	4,500	4,700	5,100	5,500	6,000	6,400	6,400	6,300	6,100	6,000
Lea	49,600	50,100	49,600	49,000	49,600	51,600	54,000	53,100	54,300	55,700	56,000
Lincoln	7,600	7,800	8,200	8,400	9,100	9,400	9,700	10,000	10,200	10,500	11,000
Los Alamos	15,200	15,500	15,000	15,300	15,000	15,600	15,900	16,300	16,900	17,700	17,600
Luna	11,700	12,200	12,800	13,500	14,000	14,800	15,300	15,200	15,300	15,500	15,600
McKinley	43,200	44,600	46,600	47,200	47,800	50,000	53,500	54,200	55,100	57,600	56,000
Mora	4,700	4,500	4,800	4,700	4,700	4,700	4,700	4,600	4,500	4,400	4,200
Otero	41,100	42,800	42,200	42,300	43,000	43,800	43,800	44,700	45,500	45,400	44,700
Quay	10,900	11,400	11,100	11,000	11,000	11,000	11,000	10,800	10,800	10,600	10,600
Rio Arriba	25,200	26,100	26,500	27,300	27,900	28,600	28,900	29,200	29,700	29,800	29,300
Roosevelt	16,500	16,600	16,700	16,500	16,600	16,200	16,000	16,100	15,900	15,700	15,700
Sandoval	17,500	19,300	20,600	23,900	25,400	26,700	28,500	30,700	32,400	34,100	34,400
San Juan	52,500	53,900	55,700	58,800	61,300	64,700	68,300	71,700	75,700	79,400	81,400
San Miguel	23,000	22,800	23,000	23,500	23,100	23,200	23,100	23,100	22,900	22,600	22,800
Santa Fe	54,800	56,900	59,100	61,200	63,300	65,800	68,800	71,500	72,600	75,400	75,400
Sierra	7,200	7,300	8,000	8,000	7,800	8,200	8,600	8,700	8,500	8,400	8,500
Socorro	9,800	10,100	10,100	10,300	10,500	10,900	11,400	11,700	12,400	12,700	12,600
Taos	17,500	18,100	18,100	18,300	18,200	18,700	19,100	19,400	19,300	19,200	19,500
Torrance	5,300	5,200	5,400	5,700	5,900	6,100	6,400	6,500	6,800	7,200	7,500
Union	4,900	5,000	5,300	5,100	5,000	4,900	4,900	5,000	5,100	4,800	4,700
Valencia	40,600	41,800	41,900	43,200	44,000	46,100	48,800	51,800	54,300	56,500	61,100

1 Intercensal estimates for counties were prepared by the Bureau of Business and Economic Research, UNM. All estimates refer to July 1 of the estimate year.
2 Census counts as of April 1, figures rounded to nearest hundred.
3 Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
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POPULATION DENSITY AND URBANIZATION--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Land Area Sq.mi.	1970 Persons Per Sq.mi.	1970 Urban Population % of Total	1980 Persons Per Sq.mi.	1980 Urban Population % of Total
STATE	121,412	8.4	69.8	10.7	72.1
Bernalillo	1,169	270.1	94.2	359.0	96.4
Catron	6,897	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.0
Chaves	6,084	7.1	78.2	8.4	77.6
Colfax	3,764	3.2	57.2	3.6	60.2
Curry	1,403	28.2	85.9	29.9	83.3
De Baca	2,356	1.1	0.0	1.0	0.0
Dona Ana	3,804	18.3	66.2	25.3	67.3
Eddy	4,167	9.9	76.9	11.5	75.0
Grant	3,970	5.5	48.4	6.6	49.3
Guadalupe	2,998	1.7	0.0	1.5	0.0
Harding	2,134	0.6	0.0	0.5	0.0
Hidalgo	3,447	1.4	72.4	1.8	52.8
Lea	4,393	11.3	81.1	12.7	79.5
Lincoln	4,858	1.6	0.0	2.3	38.7
Los Alamos	108	140.7	99.8	163.0	na
Luna	2,957	4.0	71.3	5.3	63.9
McKinley	5,454	7.9	42.9	10.4	42.0
Mora	1,940	2.4	0.0	2.2	0.0
Otero	6,638	6.2	82.5	6.7	75.7
Quay	2,875	3.8	65.9	3.7	64.0
Rio Arriba	5,843	4.3	15.5	5.0	19.3
Roosevelt	2,454	6.7	64.0	6.4	63.3
Sandoval	3,714	4.7	0.0	9.4	47.5
San Juan	5,500	9.5	48.2	14.8	60.0
San Miguel	4,741	4.6	63.0	4.8	63.0
Santa Fe	1,902	28.3	77.7	39.6	70.6
Sierra	4,166	1.7	64.8	2.0	61.7
Socorro	6,603	1.5	48.0	1.9	57.1
Taos	2,256	7.8	0.0	8.6	17.3
Torrance	3,346	1.6	0.0	2.2	0.0
Union	3,816	1.3	59.5	1.2	62.8
Valencia	5,656	7.2	33.5	10.8	45.3

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Number of Inhabitants, New Mexico, 1980.*

POPULATION OF NEW MEXICO COMMUNITIES
1910-1980

Community	County	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	Year & Type of Incorporation	
Alamogordo	Otero	na	2,363	3,096	3,950	6,783	21,723	23,035	24,024	1912	City
Albuquerque	Bernalillo	11,020	15,157	26,570	35,449	96,815	201,189	243,751	332,336	1891	City[1]
Anthony	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,728	3,285	NA	U
Artesia	Eddy	1,883	1,115	2,427	4,071	8,244	12,000	10,315	10,385	1905	City
Aztec	San Juan	509	489	740	756	885	4,137	3,354	5,512	1905	City
Bayard	Grant	na	na	na	764	2,119	2,327	2,908	3,036	1938	Village
Belen	Valencia	na	1,306	2,116	3,038	4,495	5,031	4,823	5,617	1918	City
Bernalillo	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	1,922	2,574	2,016	2,988	1948	Town
Bloomfield	San Juan	na	na	na	na	na	1,292	1,574	4,881	1953	City
Bosque Farms	Valencia	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,699	3,353	1974	Village
Cannon AFB	Curry	na	na	na	na	na	na	5,461	3,798	NA	U
Capitan	Lincoln	na	na	na	932	575	552	439	762	1941	Village
Carlsbad	Eddy	1,736	2,205	3,708	7,11[illegible]	17,975	25,541	21,297	25,496	1918	City
Carlsbad North	Eddy	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,271	NA	U
Carrizozo	Lincoln	na	104	1,171	1,457	1,389	1,546	1,123	1,222	1917	Town
Causey	Roosevelt	na	na	na	na	na	38	150	81	1959	Village
Central	Grant	na	na	na	na	1,511	1,075	1,864	1,968	1947	Village
Chama	Rio Arriba	na	na	na	na	na	na	899	1,090	1961	Village
Chimayo	Rio Arriba, Santa Fe	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,993	NA	U
Cimarron	Colfax	791	481	698	744	855	997	927	888	1910	Village
Clayton	Union	970	2,157	2,518	3,188	3,515	3,314	2,931	2,968	1912	Town
Cloudcroft	Otero	na	na	na	na	251	464	525	521	1948	Village
Clovis	Curry	3,255	4,904	8,027	10,065	17,318	23,713	28,495	31,194	1909	City
Columbus	Luna	na	2,110	391	265	251	307	241	414	1913	Village
Corona	Lincoln	na	na	na	na	530	420	262	236	1947	Village
Corrales	Bernalillo, Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,614	2,791	1971	Village
Crownpoint	McKinley	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,134	NA	U
Cuba	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	415	609	1964	Village
Deming	Luna	1,864	3,212	3,377	3,608	5,672	6,764	8,343	9,964	1902	City
Des Moines	Union	na	na	362	289	282	207	204	178	1915	Village
Dexter	Chaves	242	333	459	734	784	885	746	882	1903	Town
Dora	Roosevelt	na	na	na	na	na	113	196	168	1959	Village

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POPULATION OF NEW MEXICO COMMUNITIES
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Community	County	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	Year & Type of Incorporation	
Dulce	Rio Arriba	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,648	NA	U
Eagle Nest	Colfax	na	na	na	na	na	na	94	202	1976	Village
Elida	Roosevelt	327	300	325	330	430	534	233	202	1907	Town
Encino	Torrance	na	na	na	652	408	346	250	155	1938	Village
Espanola	Rio Arriba, Santa Fe	na	na	314	643	1,446	1,976	5,934	6,803	1925	City
Estancia	Torrance	517	578	634	668	916	797	721	830	1909	Town
Eunice	Lea	na	na	na	1,227	2,352	3,531	2,641	2,970	1936	City
Farmington	San Juan	785	728	1,350	2,161	3,637	23,786	21,979	31,222	1901	City
Floyd	Roosevelt	na	na	na	na	na	423	248	146	1959	Village
Folsom	Union	na	na	na	360	206	142	75	73	1914	Village
Fort Sumner	De Baca	na	777	839	1,669	1,982	1,809	1,615	1,421	1916	Village
Gallup	McKinley	2,204	3,920	5,992	7,041	9,133	14,089	14,596	18,167	1891	City
Grady	Curry	na	na	na	237	130	100	104	122	1936	Village
Grants	Valencia	na	na	na	na	2,251	10,274	8,768	11,439	1939	City
Grenville	Union	na	na	231	143	102	55	21	39	nd	Village
Hagerman	Chaves	449	476	609	854	1,024	1,144	953	936	1905	Town
Hatch	Dona Ana	na	na	364	822	1,064	888	867	1,028	1927	Village
Hobbs	Lea	na	na	598	10,619	13,875	26,275	26,025	29,153	1937	City
Holloman AFB	Otero	na	na	na	na	na	na	8,001	7,245	NA	U
Hope	Eddy	417	430	275	289	186	108	90	111	1910	Village
House	Quay	na	na	na	na	na	139	119	117	1959	Village
Hurley	Grant	na	na	na	na	na	1,851	1,796	1,616	1956	Town
Isleta Pueblo	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,080	1,246	NA	U
Jal	Lea	na	na	404	1,157	2,047	3,051	2,602	2,675	1950	City
Jemez Pueblo	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,197	1,503	NA	U
Jemez Springs	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	223	356	316	1955	Village
Kirtland	San Juan	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	2,358	NA	U
Lake Arthur	Chaves	344	141	215	279	380	387	306	327	1906	Town
La Luz	Otero	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,194	NA	U
Las Cruces	Dona Ana	3,836	3,969	5,811	8,385	12,325	29,367	37,857	45,086	1907	City
Las Vegas City	San Miguel	3,755	4,304	4,719	5,941	7,494	7,790	7,528	14,332	1888	City
Las Vegas Town	San Miguel	3,179	3,902	4,378	6,421	6,269	6,028	6,307	na	nd	Town

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POPULATION OF NEW MEXICO COMMUNITIES
(continued)

Community	County	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	Year & Type of Incorporation	
Logan	Quay	na	na	na	na	na	320	386	735	1959	Village
Lordsburg	Hidalgo	na	1,325	2,069	3,101	3,525	3,436	3,429	3,195	1916	City
Los Alamos	Los Alamos	na	na	na	na	9,934	12,584	11,310	11,039	NA	U
Los Lunas	Valencia	na	na	513	686	889	1,186	973	3,525	1928	Village
Los Ranchos de Albuquerque	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,900	2,857	1958	Village
Loving	Eddy	na	na	na	na	1,487	1,646	1,192	1,355	1945	Village
Lovington	Lea	na	411	961	1,916	3,134	9,660	8,915	9,727	1917	City
Magdalena	Socorro	na	1,867	1,371	1,323	1,297	1,211	652	1,022	1918	Village
Maxwell	Colfax	na	384	439	483	404	392	393	316	1912	Village
Meadow Vista	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,402	3,377	NA	U
Melrose	Curry	na	364	655	851	936	698	636	649	1916	Village
Mescalero	Otero	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,259	NA	U
Mesilla	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,713	2,029	1959	Town
Milan	Valencia	na	na	na	na	na	2,658	2,222	3,747	1957	Village
Moriarty	Torrance	na	na	na	na	na	720	758	1,276	1953	City
Mosquero	Harding, San Miguel	na	na	401	742	583	310	244	197	1922	Village
Mountainair	Torrance	na	577	1,027	1,477	1,418	1,605	1,022	1,170	1921	Town
Nambe	Santa Fe	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,017	NA	U
North Valley	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	10,366	12,868	NA	U
Paradise Hills	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	5,096	NA	U
Pecos	San Miguel	na	na	na	na	na	584	598	885	1953	Village
Portales	Roosevelt	1,292	1,154	2,519	5,104	8,112	9,695	10,554	9,940	1909	City
Questa	Taos	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,095	1,202	1964	Village
Ranchos de Taos	Taos	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,411	NA	U
Raton	Colfax	4,539	5,544	6,090	7,607	8,241	8,146	6,962	8,225	1891	City
Red River	Taos	na	na	na	na	na	na	185	332	1971	Town
Reserve	Catron	na	na	na	na	na	na	354	439	19.4	Village
Rio Communities	Valencia	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	2,089	NA	U
Rio Rancho	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	9,985	NA	U
Roswell	Chaves	6,472	7,033	11,173	13,482	25,738	39,953	33,908	39,676	1903	City
Roy	Harding	na	564	713	1,138	1,074	663	476	381	1916	Village
Ruidoso	Lincoln	na	na	na	na	806	1,557	2,216	4,260	1945	Village

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POPULATION OF NEW MEXICO COMMUNITIES
(continued)

Community	County	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	Year & Type of Incorporation	
Ruidoso Downs	Lincoln	na	na	na	na	363	407	702	949	1947	Village
San Andres-Alameda Est	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	2,024	NA	U
Sandia Pueblo	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	6,867	5,288	NA	U
San Felipe Pueblo	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	1,034	1,187	1,465	NA	U
San Jon	Quay	na	na	na	na	362	411	308	341	1946	Village
San Ysidro	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	182	199	1967	Village
Santa Fe	Santa Fe	5,072	7,236	11,176	20,325	27,998	33,394	41,167	49,160	1891	City
Santa Rosa	Guadalupe	na	1,093	1,127	2,310	2,199	2,220	2,485	2,469	1914	City
Santo Domingo Pueblo	Sandoval	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,662	2,082	NA	U
Shiprock	San Juan	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	7,237	NA	U
Silver City	Grant	3,217	2,662	3,519	5,044	7,022	6,972	8,557	9,887	1870	Town
Socorro	Socorro	1,560	1,256	2,058	3,712	4,334	5,271	5,849	7,173	1894	City
South Valley	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	29,389	38,898	NA	U
Springer	Colfax	550	915	957	1,314	1,558	1,564	1,574	1,657	1910	Town
Taos	Taos	na	na	na	965	1,815	2,163	2,475	3,359	1934	Town
Tatum	Lea	na	na	na	na	688	1,168	982	896	1948	Town
Tesuque	Santa Fe	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,014	NA	U
Texico	Curry	409	381	569	478	691	889	772	958	nd	City
Thoreau	McKinley	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,099	NA	U
Tijeras	Bernalillo	na	na	na	na	na	na	160	311	1973	Village
Tohatchi	McKinley	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	1,011	NA	U
Truth or Consequences	Sierra	na	455	1,336	2,940	4,563	4,269	4,656	5,219	1916	City
Tucumcari	Quay	2,526	3,117	4,143	6,194	8,419	8,143	7,189	6,765	1908	City
Tularosa	Otero	na	1,096	1,406	1,446	1,642	3,200	2,851	2,536	1916	Village
University Park	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	4,387	4,165	4,353	NA	U
Vaughn	Guadalupe	na	888	968	1,331	1,356	1,170	867	737	1919	Town
Virden	Hidalgo	na	na	196	206	146	135	151	246	1932	Village
Wagon Mound	Mora	na	875	852	973	1,120	760	630	416	1918	Village
White Rock	Los Alamos	na	na	na	na	na	na	3,861	6,560	NA	U
White Sands	Dona Ana	na	na	na	na	na	na	4,167	3,120	NA	U
Willard	Torrance	na	421	482	462	296	294	209	166	1910	Village
Williamsburg	Sierra	na	na	na	na	na	na	367	433	1948	Village
Zuni Pueblo	McKinley	na	na	na	na	2,563	3,585	3,958	5,551	NA	U

na Not available.
NA Not applicable.
nd No date.
p Provisional.
U Unincorporated
1 Albuquerque incorporated as a town in 1885.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Census of Population*, appropriate years; *Current Population Reports*, p. 25.

POPULATION PROJECTIONS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	1985	1990	1995	2000
STATE[1]	1,479,700	1,657,000	1,810,400	1,953,400
Bernalillo	479,600	539,500	584,200	625,900
Catron	2,900	3,200	3,300	3,500
Chaves	56,500	60,900	63,400	65,400
Cibola	33,600	36,600	39,800	42,900
Colfax	14,500	15,300	16,200	17,200
Curry	46,000	49,600	52,800	56,000
De Baca	2,600	2,800	2,900	3,000
Dona Ana	109,300	122,900	136,600	149,700
Eddy	53,200	57,700	61,100	64,400
Grant	29,100	31,700	34,000	35,900
Guadalupe	4,800	5,100	5,300	5,500
Harding	1,200	1,300	1,500	1,800
Hidalgo	6,600	7,100	7,700	8,200
Lea	72,200	88,900	101,800	114,400
Lincoln	11,500	12,000	12,500	12,900
Los Alamos	17,900	18,200	20,800	23,300
Luna	16,400	17,200	18,200	19,000
McKinley	60,400	63,800	68,300	72,600
Mora	4,100	3,900	4,000	4,000
Otero	48,700	52,600	55,900	58,600
Quay	11,300	12,000	12,900	13,700
Rio Arriba	31,200	33,100	35,600	37,900
Roosevelt	16,600	17,700	18,900	20,000
Sandoval	40,600	48,600	55,200	59,100
San Juan	109,700	138,300	167,100	195,800
San Miguel	24,700	26,600	27,700	28,500
Santa Fe	80,500	85,700	89,200	92,300
Sierra	8,900	9,200	9,500	9,800
Socorro	13,600	14,600	15,600	16,500
Taos	23,100	26,800	29,400	31,900
Torrance	8,300	9,100	9,900	10,700
Union	5,000	5,300	5,900	6,500
Valencia	35,300	39,800	43,300	46,600

1 Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
Source: Bureau of Business and Economic Research, the University of New Mexico, *Population, Employment and Income for Counties in New Mexico: Historical Data 1970-1980 and Projections 1980-2000.*

AGE DISTRIBUTION--NEW MEXICO

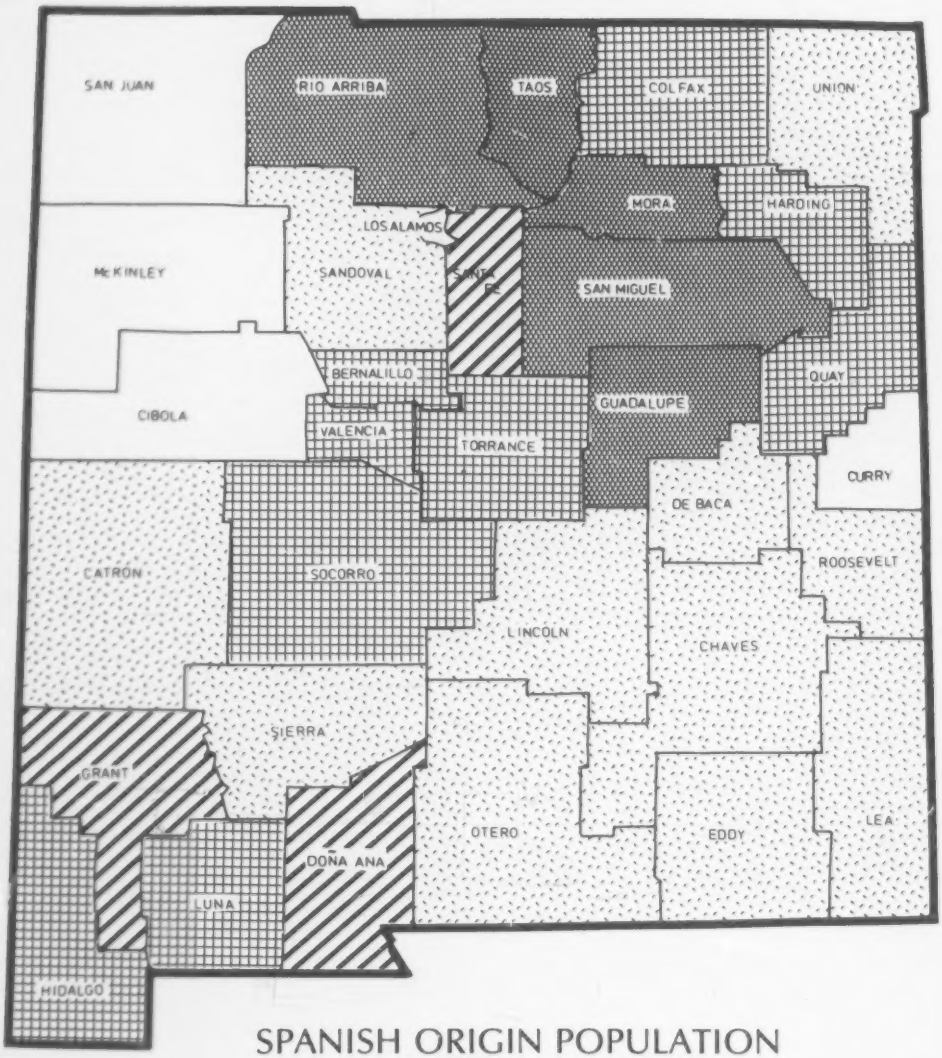
	1970		1980	
	Number	%	Number	%
TOTAL*	1,016,000	100.0	1,302,894	100.0
Under 5 Years	96,659	9.5	114,731	8.8
5-9	119,216	11.7	109,615	8.4
10-14	122,820	12.1	114,101	8.8
15-19	105,164	10.4	132,306	10.2
20-24	82,695	8.1	125,428	9.6
25-29	65,157	6.4	115,344	8.9
30-34	59,569	5.9	101,303	7.8
35-39	58,415	5.7	na	na
40-44	57,649	5.7	na	na
45-49	54,536	5.4	na	na
50-54	47,234	4.6	na	na
55-59	41,728	4.1	58,424	4.5
60-64	34,547	3.4	48,755	3.7
65-69	26,288	2.6	na	na
70-74	18,700	1.8	na	na
75 years and over	25,623	2.5	41,174	3.2
18 years and under	426,077	41.9	443,765	34.1
21 years and over	554,465	54.6	806,117	61.9
65 years and over	70,611	6.9	115,906	8.9
Median age	23.9		27.4	

* Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
na Not available.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Census of Population, New Mexico*, selected years.

DISTRIBUTION OF AGE GROUPS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Total	Under 5	5-17	18-44	45-64	65 & over	16 & over	18 & over	21 & over	Median Age
STATE	1,302,894	114,731	303,176	539,859	229,222	115,906	938,725	884,987	806,117	27.3
Bernalillo	419,700	32,386	89,467	188,161	75,686	34,000	314,495	297,847	271,630	28.1
Catron	2,720	240	614	977	521	368	1,976	1,866	1,732	30.7
Chaves	51,103	4,242	11,176	18,154	10,318	7,213	37,779	35,685	32,647	30.4
Colfax	13,667	1,111	3,294	4,869	2,613	1,780	9,971	9,262	8,639	29.5
Curry	42,019	4,077	9,688	17,586	6,627	4,041	29,899	28,254	25,538	26.1
De Baca	2,454	154	472	737	575	516	1,919	1,828	1,733	39.1
Dona Ana	96,340	8,360	22,788	42,429	15,820	6,943	69,110	65,192	56,839	24.7
Eddy	47,855	4,346	10,792	17,222	9,498	5,997	34,499	32,717	30,311	29.1
Grant	26,204	2,508	6,344	9,655	4,944	2,753	18,415	17,352	15,969	28.4
Guadalupe	4,496	368	1,188	1,586	807	547	3,167	2,940	2,677	27.4
Harding	1,090	80	210	328	281	191	842	800	752	35.2
Hidalgo	6,049	677	1,588	2,194	1,029	561	4,055	3,784	3,503	26.0
Lea	55,993	5,903	13,224	21,833	10,545	4,488	39,043	36,866	33,841	26.6
Lincoln	10,997	785	2,354	4,143	2,377	1,338	8,286	7,858	7,442	32.0
Los Alamos	17,599	1,115	4,466	6,976	4,320	722	12,860	12,018	11,463	33.1
Luna	15,585	1,280	3,509	4,656	3,515	2,625	11,400	10,796	10,067	33.7
McKinley	56,449	6,983	16,609	22,813	7,266	2,778	35,650	32,657	29,332	22.0
Mora	4,205	309	1,104	1,361	810	621	3,003	2,792	2,565	29.2
Otero	44,665	4,140	10,517	19,902	7,150	2,956	31,838	30,008	26,890	25.6
Quay	10,577	819	2,423	3,492	2,187	1,656	7,787	7,335	6,881	32.6
Rio Arriba	29,282	2,813	7,889	11,286	4,881	2,413	19,953	18,580	16,978	25.6
Roosevelt	15,695	1,156	3,113	6,645	2,759	2,022	11,983	11,426	9,832	26.8
Sandoval	34,799	3,113	8,716	13,265	6,284	3,421	24,413	22,970	21,187	28.2
San Juan	81,433	9,302	21,336	33,960	12,076	4,759	54,371	50,795	45,941	24.2
San Miguel	22,751	1,916	5,335	9,120	3,733	2,647	16,531	15,500	13,891	27.2
Santa Fe	75,360	5,895	16,854	32,877	12,931	6,803	55,629	52,611	48,821	29.3
Sierra	8,454	407	1,461	1,971	2,121	2,494	6,866	6,586	6,320	50.0
Socorro	12,566	1,182	3,020	5,171	2,072	1,112	8,868	8,355	7,421	25.3
Taos	19,456	1,645	5,027	7,731	3,159	1,894	13,678	12,784	11,871	28.3
Torrance	7,491	658	1,801	2,641	1,493	898	5,318	5,032	4,706	30.0
Union	4,725	350	1,076	1,512	974	813	3,524	3,299	3,113	33.7
Valencia	61,115	6,411	15,712	24,606	9,850	4,536	41,597	38,992	35,585	25.5

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 General Population Characteristics, New Mexico.*



SPANISH ORIGIN POPULATION BY COUNTY

SPANISH ORIGIN--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Number	Percent of Total County Population		Number	Percent of Total County Population
STATE	477,222	36.6			
Bernalillo	154,620	36.8	McKinley	7,638	13.5
Catron	780	28.7	Mora	3,640	86.6
Chaves	15,622	30.6	Otero	9,713	21.7
Colfax	6,481	47.4	Quay	3,753	35.5
Curry	8,203	19.5	Rio Arriba	21,786	74.4
De Baca	759	30.9	Roosevelt	3,378	21.5
Dona Ana	50,204	52.1	Sandoval	9,580	27.5
Eddy	14,707	30.7	San Juan	9,602	11.8
Grant	13,452	51.3	San Miguel	18,524	81.4
Guadalupe	3,716	82.7	Santa Fe	41,865	55.6
Harding	483	44.3	Sierra	2,142	25.3
Hidalgo	2,849	47.1	Socorro	5,873	46.7
Lea	11,900	21.3	Taos	13,442	69.1
Lincoln	2,927	26.6	Torrance	3,076	41.1
Los Alamos	2,022	11.5	Union	1,476	31.2
Luna	6,148	39.4	Valencia	26,861	44.0

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 General Population Characteristics, New Mexico.*

RACE AND ETHNICITY--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	New Mexico		Bernalillo County		Catron County		Chaves County		Colfax County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	1,302,894	100.0	419,700	100.0	2,720	100.0	51,103	100.0	13,667	100.0
White[2]	1,164,053	89.3	394,201	93.9	2,665	98.0	49,429	96.7	13,507	98.8
Hispanic	471,992	36.2	152,686	36.4	771	28.3	15,518	30.4	6,462	47.3
Black[2]	24,406	1.9	9,995	2.4	10	0.4	1,146	2.2	56	0.4
Hispanic	1,210	0.1	646	0.2	0	0.0	44	0.1	2	z
American Indian	106,119	8.1	11,289	2.7	40	1.5	328	0.6	73	0.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	6,825	0.5	3,559	0.8	3	0.1	165	0.3	21	0.2
Other[2]	1,491	0.1	656	0.2	2	0.1	35	0.1	10	0.1
Hispanic (Total)[3]	477,222	36.6	154,620	36.8	780	28.7	15,622	30.6	6,481	47.4

	Curry County		De Baca County		Dona Ana County		Eddy County		Grant County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	42,019	100.0	2,454	100.0	96,340	100.0	47,855	100.0	26,204	100.0
White[2]	38,478	91.6	2,448	99.8	93,243	96.8	46,699	97.6	25,891	98.8
Hispanic	8,027	19.1	759	30.9	49,865	51.8	14,626	30.6	13,421	51.2
Black[2]	2,926	7.0	1	z	1,613	1.7	877	1.8	132	0.5
Hispanic	126	0.3	0	0.0	55	0.1	40	0.1	15	z
American Indian	171	0.4	2	0.1	765	0.8	168	0.4	124	0.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	358	0.9	1	z	594	0.6	93	0.2	44	0.2
Other[2]	86	0.2	2	0.1	125	0.1	18	z	13	z
Hispanic (Total)[3]	8,203	19.5	759	30.9	50,204	52.1	14,707	30.7	13,452	51.3

	Guadalupe County		Harding County		Hidalgo County		Lea County		Lincoln County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	4,496	100.0	1,090	100.0	6,049	100.0	55,993	100.0	10,997	100.0
White[2]	4,459	99.2	1,088	99.8	5,990	99.0	52,861	94.4	10,858	98.7
Hispanic	3,706	82.4	483	44.3	2,844	47.0	11,858	21.2	2,913	26.5
Black[2]	5	0.1	0	0.0	14	0.2	2,704	4.8	52	0.5
Hispanic	2	z	0	0.0	4	0.1	25	z	6	0.1
American Indian	11	0.2	1	0.1	6	0.1	301	0.5	66	0.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	18	0.4	0	0.0	39	0.6	105	0.2	13	0.1
Other[2]	3	0.1	1	0.1	0	0.0	22	z	8	0.1
Hispanic (Total)[3]	3,716	82.7	483	44.3	2,849	47.1	11,900	21.3	2,927	26.6

	Los Alamos County		Luna County		McKinley County		Mora County		Otero County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	17,599	100.0	15,585	100.0	56,449	100.0	4,205	100.0	44,665	100.0
White[2]	17,221	97.9	15,215	97.6	18,755	33.2	4,191	99.7	39,756	89.0
Hispanic	2,014	11.4	6,105	39.2	7,064	12.5	3,634	86.4	9,515	21.3
Black[2]	73	0.4	254	1.6	330	0.6	2	z	2,176	4.9
Hispanic	0	0.0	21	0.1	23	z	0	0.0	40	0.1
American Indian	99	0.6	78	0.5	37,096	65.7	7	0.2	2,157	4.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	191	1.1	31	0.2	209	0.4	2	z	499	1.1
Other[2]	15	0.1	7	z	59	0.1	3	0.1	77	0.2
Hispanic (Total)[3]	2,022	11.5	6,148	39.4	7,638	13.5	3,640	86.6	9,713	21.7

RACE AND ETHNICITY--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
(continued)

	Quay County		Rio Arriba County		Roosevelt County		Sandoval County		San Juan County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	10,577	100.0	29,282	100.0	15,695	100.0	34,799	100.0	81,433	100.0
White[2]	10,357	97.9	25,862	88.3	15,243	97.1	24,896	71.5	53,992	66.3
Hispanic	3,727	35.2	21,462	73.3	3,329	21.2	9,487	27.3	9,307	11.4
Black[2]	144	1.4	37	0.1	235	1.5	306	0.9	340	0.4
Hispanic	18	0.2	0	0.0	39	0.2	15	z	11	z
American Indian	39	0.4	3,331	11.4	108	0.7	9,499	27.3	26,893	33.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	26	0.2	15	0.1	83	0.5	65	0.2	154	0.2
Other[2]	11	0.1	37	0.1	26	0.2	33	0.1	54	0.1
Hispanic (Total)[3]	3,753	35.5	21,786	74.4	3,378	21.5	9,580	27.5	9,602	11.8

	San Miguel County		Santa Fe County		Sierra County		Socorro County		Taos County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	22,751	100.0	75,360	100.0	8,454	100.0	12,566	100.0	19,456	100.0
White[2]	22,511	98.9	72,510	96.2	8,384	99.2	11,164	88.8	18,118	93.1
Hispanic	18,488	81.3	41,439	55.0	2,130	25.2	5,835	46.4	13,380	68.8
Black[2]	90	0.4	413	0.5	12	0.1	53	0.4	46	0.2
Hispanic	10	z	38	0.1	1	z	7	0.1	6	z
American Indian	90	0.4	2,138	2.8	49	0.6	1,247	9.9	1,251	6.4
Asian/Pacific Islander	39	0.2	223	0.3	7	0.1	85	0.7	19	0.1
Other[2]	21	0.1	76	0.1	2	z	17	0.1	22	0.1
Hispanic (Total)[3]	18,524	81.4	41,865	55.6	2,142	25.3	5,873	46.7	13,442	69.1

	Torrance County		Union County		Valencia County	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total[1]	7,491	100.0	4,725	100.0	61,115	100.0
White[2]	7,408	98.9	4,703	99.5	51,950	85.0
Hispanic	3,072	41.0	1,473	31.2	26,592	43.5
Black[2]	16	0.2	0	0.0	348	0.6
Hispanic	2	z	0	0.0	14	z
American Indian	39	0.5	15	0.3	8,638	14.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	18	0.2	6	0.1	140	0.2
Other[2]	10	0.1	1	z	39	0.1
Hispanic (Total)[3]	3,076	41.1	1,476	31.2	26,861	44.0

z Equals less than 0.05 percent.

1 Note: The total population is the sum of each racial group: White, Black, American Indian, Asian/Pacific Islander and other (not elsewhere classified) races. Persons of Hispanic origin may be any race. Percent detail may not sum to total due to rounding.

2 Counts for total White, White Hispanic, total Black, and Black Hispanic have been revised by the Bureau of the Census for the National Cancer Institute to include persons who initially designated "other races" in their response to the census. The information presented in this table reflects those revisions. Census publications and tapes present unmodified data.

3 Total counts for persons of Hispanic origin have not been revised. The distribution by race has been revised to reclassify as "White" or "Black" persons of Hispanic origin who initially reported in the residual "other races" category.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Population*, Summary Tape File 1 and data provided to the National Cancer Institute, SEER Program.

INDIAN POPULATION ON RESERVATIONS--NEW MEXICO
1980

	County Location[1]	Population 1980	Land Area (Acres)			
			Tribal	Individual	Government	Total
PUEBLO GROUPS		24,553	1,996,999	4,769	34	2,001,802
Acoma	Valencia	2,268	249,420	320		249,740
Cochiti	Sandoval	613	28,779			28,779
Isleta	Bernalillo, Torrance, & Valencia	2,289	211,026		8	211,034
Jemez	Sandoval	1,504	89,616		2	89,618
Laguna	Bernalillo, Sandoval, & Valencia	3,564	449,789	2,165		451,954
Nambe	Santa Fe	175	19,076			19,076
Picuris	Taos	116	14,947			14,947
Pojoaque	Santa Fe	94	11,602			11,602
Sandia	Bernalillo & Sandoval	217	22,871			22,871
San Felipe	Sandoval	1,789	48,853	71	6	48,930
San Felipe/Santo Domingo Joint Area[2]	Sandoval	116				
San Ildefonso	Sandoval & Santa Fe	488	26,191		1	26,192
San Juan	Rio Arriba	852	12,235		2	12,237
Santa Ana	Sandoval	407	61,414			61,414
Santa Clara	Rio Arriba, Sandoval, & Santa Fe	459	45,744		4	45,748
Santo Domingo	Sandoval & Santa Fe	2,139	69,260			69,260
Taos	Taos	716	95,334		7	95,341
Tesuque	Santa Fe	235	16,811		3	16,814
Zia	Sandoval	524	117,680		1	117,681
Zuni	McKinley & Valencia	5,988	406,351	2,213		408,564
APACHE GROUPS		3,637	1,202,971			1,202,971
Jicarilla	Rio Arriba & Sandoval	1,715	742,315			742,315
Mescalero	Otero	1,922	460,656			460,656
NAVAJO GROUPS		31,956	2,589,040	75,986	4,864	2,669,890
Alamo	Socorro	1,062	43,335	19,774		63,109
Canoncito	Bernalillo, Sandoval & Valencia	969	68,144	8,629	40	76,813
Main Reservation	McKinley & San Juan	28,762	2,383,015			2,383,015
Ramah	McKinley & Valencia	1,163	94,546	47,583	4,824	146,953
UTE GROUP			104,978			104,978
Ute. Mtn. Reservation	San Juan		104,978			104,978

1 Valencia County consists of Cibola and "New" Valencia counties.
2 Land area is included in the individual reservations.
Source: Population: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *1980 Census of Population, General Population Characteristics*. Land area: U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs, Bureau of Real Estate Services.

Recreation

LOCATION AND ATTENDANCE AT STATE PARKS--NEW MEXICO

	Location (County)	Total Annual Visits			
		1978	1979	1980	1981
STATE		3,681,008	4,099,007	3,684,514	4,502,457
Belen Valley	Valencia	na	3,958	4,099	31,283
Bluewater Lake	Valencia	152,894	182,304	232,253	212,707
Bottomless Lake	Chaves	100,947	188,050	153,088	119,315
Caballo Lake	Sierra	282,55[illegible]	415,886	334,444	423,850
Chicosa Lake	Harding	8,863	9,666	5,622	2,700
Cimarron Canyon	Colfax	na	na	66,483	161,164
City of Rocks	Grant	92,752	37,313	54,171	62,153
Clayton Lake	Union	46,032	34,598	35,301	53,777
Conchas Lake	San Miguel	199,477	136,778	97,773	172,766
Coronado	Bernalillo	54,904	131,640	56,619	40,730
Coyote Creek	Mora	15,287	28,105	44,922	33,870
Elephant Butte Lake	Sierra	1,145,857	1,225,[illegible]74	933,573	1,136,417
El Vado Lake	Rio Arriba	24,242	23,545	25,984	63,693
Heron Lake	Rio Arriba	101,733	64,718	71,236	95,160
Hyde Memorial	Santa Fe	71,456	58,311	71,410	64,643
Kit Carson	Taos	112,679	70,394	114,698	129,883
Leasburg	Dona Ana	41,999	19,882	30,226	34,958
Living Desert	Eddy	na	72,682	69,774	83,209
Manzano	Torrance	2,831	848	3,987	6,102
Morphy Lake	Mora	20,945	12,841	21,836	6,024
Navajo Lake (Pine)	San Juan	195,229	217,500	246,832	216,321
Navajo Lake (Sims)	Rio Arriba	6,741	8,850	9,917	10,923
Oasis	Roosevelt	75,756	91,968	66,459	40,873
Oliver Lee Memorial	Otero	na	na	15,215	46,756
Pancho Villa	Luna	75,046	57,278	80,015	91,827
Percha Dam	Sierra	36,943	29,490	27,726	25,049
Rio Grande Gorge	Taos	11,483	15,172	21,212	72,269
Rock Hound	Luna	63,877	49,404	46,337	46,658
Santa Rosa Lake	Guadalupe	na	na	1,575	45,873
Smokey Bear	Lincoln	na	na	31,655	30,347
Storrie Lake	San Miguel	417,208	485,891	355,138	439,930
Sumner Lake	De Baca	49,247	67,063	122,155	123,878
Ute Lake	Quay	181,756	258,945	172,558	310,518
Valley of Fires	Lincoln	70,436	75,870	37,204	28,913
Villanueva	San Miguel	21,833	24,583	23,017	37,918

na Not available.
Source: N.M. State Park and Recreation Commission, Annual Reports.

LOCATION AND ATTENDANCE AT NATIONAL PARKS AND MONUMENTS--NEW MEXICO

	Location (County)	Total Annual Visits				
		1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Aztec Ruins	San Juan	70,300	58,080	56,850	64,910	60,880
Bandelier	Sandoval	153,850	161,610	176,420	197,580	194,260
Capulin Mountain	Union	49,650	44,310	45,690	46,200	44,820
Carlsbad Caverns	Eddy	867,280	721,650	672,960	782,250	781,960
Chaco Canyon	San Juan	43,710	48,820	51,650	73,410	72,880
El Morro	Valencia	33,240	29,640	29,520	27,550	29,950
Fort Union	Mora	13,800	10,450	10,790	11,730	12,170
Gila Cliff Dwellings	Catron	40,210	31,940	32,720	37,470	37,920
Grand Quivira	Torrance & Socorro	31,280	26,750	21,730	na	na
Pecos	San Miguel	57,980	51,930	36,660	44,540	31,310
Salinas*	Torrance & Socorro	na	na	na	20,380	40,130
White Sands	Otero & Dona Ana	580,250	581,900	511,470	556,510	543,590
TOTAL		1,940,550	1,767,080	1,646,460	1,862,530	1,849,870

* Gran Quivira National Monument was named Salinas National Monument in January, 1981. The area now includes Gran Quivira, Abo, and Quari.
na Not available.
Source: U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service, Annual Reports.

Roads and Traffic

RAILROADS
SERVING NEW MEXICO

VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED BY VEHICLE TYPE--NEW MEXICO
(in Millions)

	1969	1977	1978	1979	1982
TOTAL*	6,935	11,112	11,507	11,358	11,912
New Mexico Passenger Cars	3,394	5,735	6,052	6,055	6,370
Out-of-State Passenger Cars	1,448	1,867	1,848	1,727	1,703
Light Trucks	1,331	2,241	2,254	2,246	2,424
Heavy Commercial Vehicles	568	893	950	937	1,012
Miscellaneous Vehicles	194	376	403	393	403

* Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.
Source: N.M. State Highway Department, Planning and Programming Division, *New Mexico Traffic Survey*, various annual reports.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS--NEW MEXICO

	New Mexico				Death Rate[2]	
	Motor Vehicle Registration	Mvm[1] Traveled	Traffic Fatalities	Traffic Injuries	New Mexico	United States
1972	1,273,354	11,856	577	23,000	4.9	3.0*
1973	1,219,576	11,448	544	23,000	4.7	3.3*
1974	1,185,295	11,156	613	23,000	5.5	3.5*
1975	1,145,083	11,333	650	24,000	5.7	3.5*
1976	1,096,939	11,507	661	24,000	5.6	3.4
1977	1,002,008	11,112	674	21,000	6.1	3.4
1978	976,002	10,524	552	20,000	5.3	3.3
1979	915,852	9,921	568	18,000	5.8	3.4
1980	867,206	9,438	540	16,000	5.7	3.5
1981	832,450	9,468	638	18,000	6.7	4.1
1982	798,459	8,626	587	17,000	6.6	4.3

* Estimated death rate.
1 MVM = Millions of vehicle miles.
2 Per 100 MVM.
Source: Prepared by Division of Government Research, University of New Mexico for the New Mexico Department of Transportation, *New Mexico Traffic Accident Data, 1981 and 1982.*

MILES OF ROADS AND STREETS BY SYSTEM AND CLASSIFICATION--NEW MEXICO

	January 1, 1976			January 1, 1981		
	Total	Rural	Urban	Total	Rural	Urban
ALL ROADS	70,620.9[1]	65,257.2	5,363.7	78,848.4[1]	73,230.0	5,618.4
STATE-SYSTEM ROADS	13,275.2	11,859.4	1,415.8	12,933.5	11,706.2	1,227.3
Federal-Aid Interstate	999.5	895.5	104.0	999.6	892.9	106.7
Federal-Aid Primary	2,965.9	2,663.5	302.4	4,215.4	3,988.3	263.1
Federal-Aid Urban	704.3	0.0	704.3	618.3	0.0	618.3
Federal-Aid Secondary	6,011.8	5,796.0	215.8	3,229.5	3,161.2	68.3
State Not on Federal-Aid Primary or Federal-Aid secondary	2,593.7	2,504.4	89.3	3,834.7	3,663.8	170.9
LOCAL-SYSTEM ROADS	57,345.7	53,397.8	3,947.9	65,914.9	61,523.8	4,391.1
Country	50,132.7	46,184.8	3,947.9	56,681.3	52,290.2	4,391.1
Military	776.4	776.4	0.0	1,209.1	1,209.1	0.0
State Park	31.5	31.5	0.0	38.7	38.7	0.0
National Forest	4,167.6	4,167.6	0.0	4,985.7	4,985.7	0.0
National Park & Monument	24.6	24.6	0.0	29.0	29.0	0.0
National Indian Reservation	2,183.9	2,183.9	0.0	2,942.1	2,942.1	0.0
Unincorporated Compact	29.0	29.0	0.0	29.0	29.0	0.0

1 Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
Source: N.M. State Highway Department, *1976 Highway Statistics and Related Information;* 1981 unpublished data.

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1982

	Total	Passenger Cars	Trucks	Recreational Vehicles	Buses[1]	Taxis	Trailers[2]	Mobile Homes	Motor-cycles
STATE	1,349,394	770,451	386,810	52,794	2,977	122	63,950	12,090	60,200
Bernalillo	412,238	269,721	91,057	13,007	465	39	14,788	4,237	18,924
Catron	3,656	1,164	1,620	259	21	0	414	36	142
Chaves	54,064	30,932	15,195	2,194	113	1	2,342	615	2,672
Cibola	23,933	11,182	8,953	961	107	2	1,417	177	1,134
Colfax	15,047	8,009	4,989	527	50	2	653	128	689
Curry	41,666	23,874	11,496	1,656	161	1	2,261	290	1,927
De Baca	3,035	1,315	1,206	160	9	0	250	11	84
Dona Ana	97,732	57,144	26,578	4,016	315	9	4,120	1,086	4,464
Eddy	53,643	27,853	16,755	2,355	147	7	3,146	415	2,965
Grant	30,263	14,646	9,881	1,916	99	1	1,881	214	1,625
Guadalupe	3,829	1,797	1,623	141	15	0	128	21	104
Harding	961	395	455	26	5	0	46	5	29
Hidalgo	5,387	2,675	1,877	255	11	0	322	35	212
Lea	72,089	35,728	23,860	3,161	187	8	5,437	876	2,832
Lincoln	13,794	6,785	4,906	580	57	4	791	177	514
Los Alamos	22,607	14,199	4,705	993	8	0	1,236	97	1,369
Luna	17,601	9,068	5,322	1,230	10	2	1,009	140	820
McKinley	34,029	16,276	13,664	986	89	7	1,572	237	1,198
Mora	3,462	1,529	1,588	92	20	0	13	13	83
Otero	43,345	25,787	11,406	2,076	126	4	1,884	515	3,547
Quay	11,936	5,869	4,281	550	37	0	846	76	277
Rio Arriba	30,671	16,613	10,725	1,081	126	3	1,068	297	758
Roosevelt	16,184	8,150	5,747	695	83	0	881	55	573
Sandoval	38,226	21,774	11,439	1,500	48	1	1,785	133	1,546
San Juan	97,330	45,495	34,829	4,828	116	3	7,198	878	3,983
San Miguel	18,184	10,119	6,306	480	62	1	547	127	542
Santa Fe	73,251	46,481	18,968	2,090	109	15	2,166	407	3,015
Sierra	11,678	5,316	3,406	1,085	24	2	1,173	205	467
Socorro	10,958	5,670	3,706	458	14	1	559	121	429
Taos	21,608	11,490	7,439	665	116	8	639	88	1,163
Torrance	9,430	4,153	3,845	417	109	0	535	74	297
Union	5,301	2,469	2,304	130	24	0	222	29	123
Valencia	40,076	21,409	12,805	1,797	91	1	2,217	260	1,496
Foreign[3]	10,180	5,384	3,874	427	3	0	280	15	197

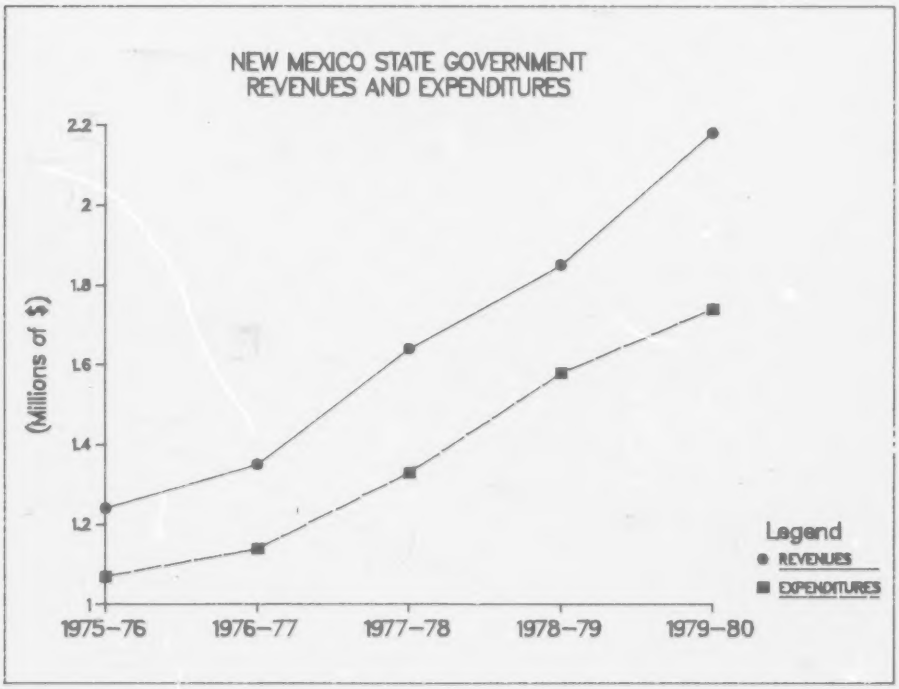
1 Includes school and commercial buses.
2 Tandem and freight trailers.
3 "Foreign" includes vehicles registered by transient residents moving in and out of the state, vehicles registered by students temporarily residing in the state, vehicles registered by New Mexcio residents temporarily living and/or working outside of the state, and vehicles registered by interstate trucking firms.
Source: N.M. Department of Transportation.

Taxes and Revenue

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES OF STATE GOVERNMENT--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	FY 1975-1976	FY 1976-1977	FY 1977-1978	FY 1978-1979	FY 1979-1980	% Change 1975-1976 to 1979-1980
Revenues	$1,244,706	$1,349,306	$1,638,729	$1,847,066	$2,183,291	75.4
Expenditures	1,071,351	1,137,043	1,329,250	1,578,199	1,744,172	62.8

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *State Government Finances*, selected years.



EXPENDITURES OF STATE GOVERNMENT--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	FY 1976-1977	FY 1978-1979	FY 1979-1980
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$1,137,043	$1,578,199	$1,744,172
GENERAL EXPENDITURES	$1,061,998	$1,509,535	$1,663,072
Direct	663,604	977,644	1,067,608
Intergovernmental	398,394	531,891	595,464
Airports	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0
Correction	12,135	25,771	34,973
Education	525,000	699,575	753,375
Higher Education	186,515	253,540	257,496
Intergovernmental	308,628	401,806	444,847
Local Schools	3,982	9,743	16,006
Other Education	25,875	34,486	35,026
Employment Security Administration	10,009	11,494	15,372
Financial Administration	22,645	30,729	30,204
General Control	23,085	28,787	31,443
General Expenditures, n.e.c.	75,357	144,824	169,492
Health	24,176	38,463	60,122
Highways	125,531	218,072	205,654
Hospitals	51,927	70,316	75,611
Interest on general debt	6,454	21,855	35,356
Libraries	1,207	1,462	1,616
Natural Resources	40,016	36,765	41,124
Police Protection	12,769	14,604	16,338
Protective Insp. & Reg., n.e.c.	6,032	7,781	9,252
Public Buildings	2,200	2,980	1,491
Public Welfare	106,846	140,474	161,577
Veterans' Services	356	510	493
INSURANCE TRUST EXPENDITURES	$ 75,045	$ 68,664	$ 81,100
Employment Retirement	35,728	45,789	52,181
Other	0	0	0
Unemployment Compensation	39,317	22,875	28,919

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *State Government Finances*, selected years.

GROSS RECEIPTS[1] BY MAJOR INDUSTRY--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

	1981[2]	1982[2]	% of Total	% Change 1981-1982
TOTAL	$20,794,972	$21,088,994	NA	1.4
Agriculture	$ 138,717	$ 133,340	0.6	- 3.9
Mining	1,325,634	1,480,464	7.0	11.7
Contract Construction	2,343,415	2,365,664	11.2	0.9
Manufacturing	1,547,167	1,540,976	7.3	- 0.4
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	3,174,640	3,206,773	15.2	1.0
Wholesale Trade	2,745,282	3,342,848	15.9	21.8
Retail Trade	6,761,488	6,144,846	29.1	- 9.1
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	250,241	336,550	1.6	34.5
Services	2,415,768	2,421,998	11.5	0.3
Government	89,104	114,471	0.5	28.5
(Nonclassifiable)	3,515	1,064	0.0	-69.7

NA Not Applicable.
1 Gross receipts reported are for gross receipts tax purposes, which do not include all the receipts of all firms. To determine the type of receipts that are not included, see the statutory definition of gross receipts (section 7-9-3(F) NMSA 1978) and the exemptions from the gross receipts tax base (section 7-9-12 through 7-9-42 NMSA 1978).
2 Detail may not add to total because of rounding.
Source: N.M. Taxation and Revenue Department, Tax Research and Statistics Office, Unpublished Report.

REVENUES OF STATE GOVERNMENT--NEW MEXICO
(in thousands)

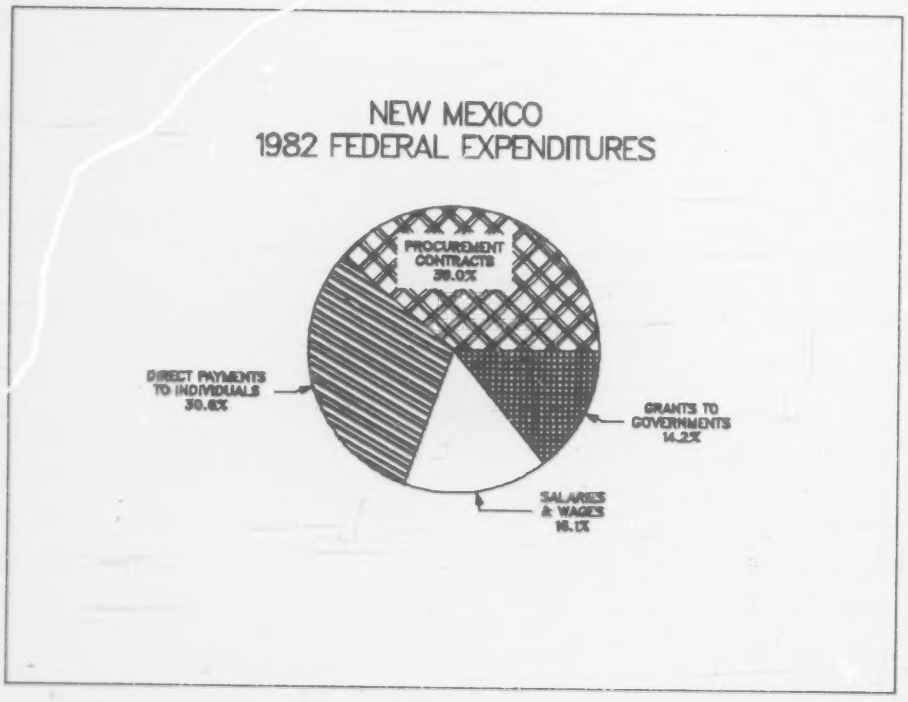
	FY 1976-1977	FY 1978-1979	FY 1979-1980
TOTAL REVENUE	$1,349,306	$1,847,066	$2,183,291
GENERAL REVENUE	$1,215,326	$1,678,152	$1,984,036
Taxes	597,604	845,391	926,048
Corporation Net Income	29,486	40,514	46,272
Death & Gift	4,490	2,522	2,327
Individual Income	26,639	68,550	46,846
License Taxes:	42,038	47,156	55,534
Alcoholic Beverages	311	376	404
Amusements	83	82	83
Corporations in General	2,500	2,379	5,384
Hunting & Fishing	4,104	5,190	5,655
Motor Vehicles	29,376	30,680	34,423
Motor Vehicle Operators	1,436	2,091	2,768
Occupations & Business, n.e.c.	4,184	6,281	6,767
Public Utilities	44	77	50
Property	16,095	20,687	24,341
Sales & Gross Receipts Taxes	376,073	506,531	537,085
Selected Taxes:	118,834	136,707	134,176
Alcoholic Beverages	6,596	7,591	7,713
Amusements	81	72	93
Insurance	13,151	17,312	20,199
Motor Fuels	64,802	72,462	69,999
Other	13,340	18,225	15,614
Parimutuals	2,208	2,470	3,459
Public Utilities	4,973	4,474	2,592
Tobacco Products	13,683	14,101	14,507
Severance	102,783	159,431	213,643
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE	$ 337,725	$ 437,664	$ 438,166
Federal Government	325,960	424,855	421,819
Education	88,211	113,731	130,907
Employment Security Administration	9,740	11,544	14,106
Health & Hospitals	10,396	30,020	21,001
Highways	56,459	89,478	88,130
Natural Resources	6,366	4,679	5,881
Other	54,755	65,518	38,669
Public Welfare	85,640	94,829	109,341
Revenue Sharing	14,393	15,056	13,784
Local Government	11,765	12,809	16,347
Education	1,209	3,833	6,813
Health & Hospitals	6,237	6,602	7,089
Highways	2,101	1,148	1,248
Other	904	1,226	1,197
Public Welfare	1,314	0	0
CHARGES AND MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL REVENUE	$ 279,997	$ 395,097	$ 619,822
Current Charges	87,914	103,786	127,737
Education	56,029	74,936	84,668
State Institutions of Higher Learning	55,016	73,531	83,096
Other	1,013	1,405	1,572
Highways	84	1,022	450
Hospitals	22,907	19,628	33,059
Natural Resources	2,637	2,248	2,462
Agriculture	1,803	1,912	2,112
Forestry & Parks	696	21	57
Other	138	315	293
Other Current Charges	6,257	5,330	6,380
Miscellaneous General Revenue	$ 192,083	$ 291,311	$ 492,085
Donations	3,032	4,966	7,104
Interest Earnings	67,768	131,660	204,145
Fines & Forfeits	3,159	4,047	3,958
Miscellaneous General Revenue, n.e.c.	7,016	1,517	2,108
Rents & Royalties	110,094	148,345	272,964
Sale of Property	1,014	776	1,806
INSURANCE TRUST REVENUE	$ 133,980	$ 168,914	$ 199,255
Contributions	98,205	115,280	133,343
Employee Retirement	59,964	75,321	88,873
Unemployment Compensation	38,241	39,959	44,470
Earnings on Investments	35,775	53,634	65,912
Employee Retirement	33,779	50,117	59,893
Unemployment Compensation	1,996	3,517	6,019

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *State Government Finances*, selected years.

EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT--NEW MEXICO
Fiscal Years
(in thousands)

	FY 1981	FY 1982	$ Change	% Change
Grants to State and Local Governments	$ 715,855	$ 727,234	$ 11,379	1.6
Department of Agriculture	61,734	57,772	- 3,962	- 6.4
Department of Commerce	9,293	10,926	1,633	17.6
Department of Defense	133	318	185	139.1
Department of Education	64,516	69,304	4,788	7.4
Department of Energy	5,100	1,506	- 3,594	-70.5
Environmental Protection Agency	20,236	26,694	6,458	31.9
Department of Health and Human Services	161,641	166,015	4,374	2.7
Department of Housing & Urban Development	53,454	47,334	- 6,120	-11.4
Department of the Interior	128,034	169,171	41,137	32.1
Department of Justice	1,875	1,010	- 865	-46.1
Department of Labor	53,500	31,963	-21,537	-40.3
Department of Tr nsportation	115,837	110,293	- 5,544	- 4.8
Department of Treasury	33,093	32,011	- 1,082	- 3.3
Other[1]	7,409	2,917	- 4,492	-60.6
Salaries and Wages[2]	854,254	824,425	-29,829	- 3.5
Direct Payments to Individuals[3]	1,423,770	1,561,809	138,039	9.7
Procurement Contracts	1,871,237	1,993,603	122,366	6.5
Department of Defense	386,051	454,431	68,380	17.1
All Other Federal Agencies	1,485,186	1,539,172	53,986	3.6
TOTAL	$4,880,000	$5,142,000	$262,000	5.4

1 Includes Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Federal Emergency Management Agency, National Endowment for the Arts, Office Personnel Management, Community Services Administration (1981 only), and Veterans Administration.
2 Includes Department of Defense and all other Federal agencies.
3 Includes such items as Black Lung Payments, Student Loans, Low Income Housing Assistance, Veterans Payments, Food Stamps, Medicare, Social Security, etc.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Federal Expenditures by State for Fiscal Year 1981 and 1982.*



FEDERAL EXPENDITURES, SOUTHWEST AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES
FY 1982

	Federal Expenditures (in Millions $)		Per Capita Federal Expenditures (in Dollars)	
	Defense	Nondefense	Defense	Nondefense
SOUTHWEST				
Arizona	$ 2,448	$ 5,017	$876	$1,796
New Mexico	1,178	3,963	887	2,984
Oklahoma	1,980	4,972	639	1,604
Texas	11,690	20,424	792	1,383
ROCKY MOUNTAIN				
Colorado	$ 2,419	$ 5,194	$816	$1,752
Idaho	236	1,866	246	1,946
Montana	182	1,600	230	2,017
Utah	1,243	2,467	819	1,625
Wyoming	174	873	354	1,775
U.S.	$178,844	$424,732	$768	$1,823

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Federal Expenditures by State for Fiscal Year 1982*.

Trade and Services

NUMBER OF ESTABLISHMENTS IN RETAIL TRADE, WHOLESALE TRADE, AND SERVICES--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1981

	Number of Establishments[1]		
	Retail Trade	Whole-sale Trade	Services
STATE	7,469	1,954	7,607
Bernalillo	2,290	850	3,092
Catron	8	na	7
Chaves	323	86	324
Cibola[2]	na	na	na
Colfax	130	13	93
Curry	276	75	245
De Baca	23	2	12
Dona Ana	488	85	441
Eddy	310	99	319
Grant	151	26	111
Guadalupe	49	5	29
Harding	6	4	1
Hidalgo	50	5	19
Lea	408	155	333
Lincoln	124	16	87
Los Alamos	91	5	111
Luna	98	20	71
McKinley	325	61	198
Mora	8	1	10
Otero	238	26	170
Quay	101	19	67
Rio Arriba	100	11	108
Roosevelt	91	19	60
Sandoval	92	13	70
San Juan	410	155	389
San Miguel	111	17	86
Santa Fe	546	91	685
Sierra	70	9	46
Socorro	74	14	48
Taos	161	20	159
Torrance	38	3	12
Union	38	10	28
Valencia[2]	240	44	173

na Not available.
1 An establishment is a single physical location where business is conducted or where services or industrial operations are performed.
2 Valencia County as shown here includes Cibola County.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *County Business Patterns, New Mexico, 1981.*

RETAIL TRADE GROSS RECEIPTS[1]--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
(in thousands)

	1981	1982	% Change
STATE	$6,761,488	$6,144,846	- 9.1
Bernalillo	$2,513,681	$2,133,360	-15.1
Catron	3,885	3,570	- 8.1
Chaves	250,335	254,004	1.5
Cibola[2]	32,080	74,487	127.9
Colfax	$ 64,124	$ 63,367	- 1.2
Curry	184,519	179,834	- 2.5
De Baca	7,024	5,888	-16.2
Dona Ana	351,451	325,241	- 7.5
Eddy	$ 260,811	$ 276,099	5.9
Grant	103,922	89,783	-13.6
Guadalupe	16,603	15,805	- 4.8
Harding	1,930	1,666	-13.7
Hidalgo	$ 22,630	$ 15,619	-31.0
Lea	446,724	427,898	- 4.2
Lincoln	75,219	85,306	13.4
Los Alamos	63,670	61,877	- 2.8
Luna	$ 67,606	$ 62,828	- 7.1
McKinley	327,158	350,751	7.2
Mora	2,466	2,702	9.6
Otero	159,499	149,415	- 6.3
Quay	$ 61,784	$ 56,312	- 8.9
Rio Arriba	77,662	78,658	1.3
Roosevelt	56,167	57,004	- 0.3
Sandoval	41,411	41,851	1.1
San Juan	$ 473,882	$ 394,805	-16.7
San Miguel	61,971	62,702	1.2
Santa Fe	430,079	428,818	- 0.3
Sierra	25,391	25,580	0.7
Socorro	$ 37,154	$ 34,045	- 8.4
Taos	96,464	91,800	- 4.8
Torrance	18,018	16,909	- 6.2
Union	21,229	17,272	-18.6
Valencia[2]	$ 42,392	$ 78,507	-44.9
(County Unknown)	270,944	181,084	-30.6

1 Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
2 Valencia was a single county until July 1981, when it was divided into two new counties--Cibola and Valencia.
Source: N.M. Taxation and Revenue Department, Tax Research and Statistics Office, Unpublished Reports.

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS AND DEATHS--NEW MEXICO

	Midyear Population[1]	Births	Deaths
1955	785,000	27,661	5,990
1956	806,000	28,730	5,819
1957	847,000	30,062	6,550
1958	886,000	30,951	6,557
1959	919,000	32,646	6,617
1960	951,000	33,253	6,958
1961	965,000	32,553	6,749
1962	979,000	31,930	6,929
1963	989,000	30,520	7,337
1964	1,006,000	29,665	7,410
1965	1,012,000	27,056	7,298
1966	1,007,000	24,908	7,515
1967	1,000,000	23,743	7,424
1968	994,000	22,935	7,643
1969	1,011,000	24,021	7,718
1970	1,017,055	22,004	7,411
1971	1,053,000	22,205	7,638
1972	1,078,000	20,813	7,877
1973	1,104,000	20,852	8,139
1974	1,130,000	21,333	8,029
1975	1,164,000	21,092	8,004
1976	1,196,000	22,180	8,204
1977	1,227,000	23,100	8,223
1978	1,254,000	23,907	8,331
1979	1,283,000	24,825	8,617
1980	1,303,143	26,589	9,016
1981	1,333,000	29,164	8,989
1982	1,359,000[p]	24,388	8,171

p Provisional.
1 Except for census years which are as of April 1.
Source: Bureau of Business and Economic Research, University of New Mexico; unpublished data.

BIRTH AND DEATH RATES--ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES AND U.S.

	Birth Rates (Per 1,000 Population)			Death Rates (Per 1,000 Population)		
	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982
UNITED STATES	15.9	15.9	16.0	8.8	8.7	8.6
Arizona	18.4	18.4	18.4	7.9	8.0	7.9
Colorado	17.3	17.8	18.1	6.7	6.8	6.6
Idaho	20.6	20.2	20.1	6.8	6.9	6.9
Montana	17.7	17.6	17.8	8.4	8.4	8.2
Nevada	16.3	16.8	14.8	7.9	7.7	7.7
New Mexico	19.7	21.3	17.4	7.0	6.7	6.1
Utah	29.7	27.7	27.8	5.8	5.6	5.8
Wyoming	20.1	20.7	20.0	6.4	6.0	6.0

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, *Monthly Vital Statistics Report*.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Births				Deaths			
	1976		1981		1976		1981	
	Number	Rate[1]	Number	Rate[1]	Number	Rate[1]	Number	Rate[1]
UNITED STATES	3,168,000	14.8	3,646,000[p]	15.9[p]	1,909,000	8.9	1,987,000[p]	8.7[p]
STATE	22,180	19.0	26,565	20.0	8,204	7.2	8,668	6.5
Bernalillo	6,073	16.6	7,357	17.3	2,338	6.4	2,535	5.9
Catron	47	19.6	41	14.6	15	6.2	24	8.6
Chaves	742	15.1	990	19.0	472	9.6	484	9.3
Cibola[2]	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Colfax	201	15.1	218	15.4	131	9.8	95	6.7
Curry	970	22.7	905	21.3	273	6.3	328	7.7
De Baca	26	10.4	35	15.2	36	14.4	31	13.5
Dona Ana	1,580	19.3	1,947	20.5	412	5.0	527	5.6
Eddy	823	18.2	965	19.3	361	7.9	404	8.1
Grant	478	19.9	598	22.4	178	7.4	187	7.0
Guadalupe	78	15.9	85	18.5	49	10.0	36	7.8
Harding	17	13.1	17	17.0	7	5.3	11	11.0
Hidalgo	149	24.8	112	19.0	65	10.8	47	8.0
Lea	1,076	19.8	1,510	24.9	376	6.9	429	7.1
Lincoln	158	15.6	216	19.5	69	6.8	80	7.2
Los Alamos	184	11.2	205	11.3	46	2.8	60	3.3
Luna	283	19.4	295	18.7	141	9.6	171	10.8
McKinley	1,551	27.7	1,659	28.6	383	6.8	318	5.5
Mora	57	11.4	79	18.0	37	7.4	38	8.6
Otero	1,006	24.2	985	22.3	237	5.6	239	5.4
Quay	156	13.9	157	15.0	124	11.0	130	12.4
Rio Arriba	606	21.9	662	22.5	253	9.1	216	7.3
Roosevelt	258	15.5	291	18.5	129	7.8	132	8.4
Sandoval	532	22.7	725	20.7	214	9.1	218	6.2
San Juan	1,647	24.3	2,422	27.5	393	5.8	421	4.8
San Miguel	453	19.6	472	21.0	196	8.4	179	8.0
Santa Fe	1,125	17.6	1,293	16.8	413	6.4	470	6.1
Sierra	100	11.4	104	12.0	136	15.4	152	17.5
Socorro	214	21.2	275	20.7	103	10.1	98	7.4
Taos	342	17.4	414	20.4	172	8.7	136	6.7
Torrance	93	13.5	127	16.5	48	6.9	54	7.0
Union	72	14.7	91	19.4	57	11.6	64	13.6
Valencia[2]	1,083	22.4	1,313	20.8	340	7.0	354	5.6

na Not available.
p Preliminary.
1 Rates are per 1,000 population.
2 Valencia includes Cibola County.
Source: N.M. Health and Environment Department, Health Services Division, *New Mexico Selected Health Statistics, 1976 and 1980-1981*; U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Statistical Abstract of the U.S., 1982-83*.

DEATH RATES[1] FROM LEADING CAUSES--NEW MEXICO AND U.S.
1981

	New Mexico			United States		
	Death Rate	Percent of Total Deaths	Rank	Death Rate	Percent of Total Deaths	Rank
TOTAL						
All Causes	651.2	100.0	--	866.4	100.0	--
Heart Disease	153.9	23.6	1	330.6	38.2	1
Malignant Neoplasms	135.7	20.8	2	184.3	21.3	2
Stroke	40.3	6.2	4	71.7	8.3	3
Accidents	60.1	9.2	3	44.5	5.1	4
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Diseases & Allied Conditions	30.8	4.7	5	26.1	3.0	5
Influenza & Pneumonia	17.5	2.7	7	23.7	2.7	6
Diabetes Mellitus	17.2	2.6	8	15.2	1.7	7
Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	14.4	2.2	9	12.9	1.5	8
Arteriosclerosis	5.4	0.8	13	12.5	1.4	9
Suicide	19.2	2.9	6	12.3	1.4	10
Homicide	12.2	1.9	10	10.7	1.2	11
Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period	8.1	1.2	12	9.2	1.1	12
Alcoholism[2]	10.7	1.6	11	1.9	0.2	--

1 Rate per 100,000 population.
2 Includes only deaths from "alcohol dependence syndrome." Deaths due to alcoholic cirrhosis are included in "chronic liver disease and cirrhosis." U.S. for this category is based on 1979 data.
Source: N.M. Health and Environment Department, Health Services Division, *New Mexico Selected Health Statistics, 1980-1981.*

INFANT MORTALITY RATE BY ETHNICITY/RACE--NEW MEXICO[1]

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
TOTAL	14.4	13.8	14.2	11.0	9.6
White					
Non-Hispanic	15.5	14.4	13.9	10.8	9.7
Hispanic	12.1	12.8	12.3	10.5	9.1
Black	24.7	25.1	15.1	26.4	15.7
American Indian	17.3	14.1	22.9	11.5	10.1
Pueblo	27.4	14.2	11.9	2.6	9.1
Navajo	18.1	14.8	29.2	14.9	10.5
Apache	10.4	8.1	0.0	13.3	13.4
All Other (Nonwhite)	9.5	4.7	5.6	3.8	9.1

1 Rates per 1,000 live births.
Source: N.M. Health and Environment Department, Health Services Division, *New Mexico Selected Health Statistics, 1980-1981.*

HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	Number of Hospitals[1] 1982	Physicians/1983	
		Number of Physicians[2]	Persons Per Physician
STATE	50	2,030	NA
Bernalillo	9	1,176	363
Catron	0	1	2,800
Chaves	2	62	842
Cibola	2	10	3,124
Colfax	3	19	747
Curry	1	31	1,368
De Baca	1	2	1,150
Dona Ana	1	94	1,009
Eddy	2	51	978
Grant	1	28	954
Guadalupe	1	2	2,300
Harding	0	0	--
Hidalgo	0	2	2,950
Lea	3	55	1,102
Lincoln	1	15	740
Los Alamos	1	35	517
Luna	1	8	1,975
McKinley	5	33	1,761
Mora	0	2	2,200
Otero	2	26	1,700
Quay	1	8	1,313
Rio Arriba	1	30	980
Roosevelt	1	7	2,243
Sandoval	1	16	2,194
San Juan	2	65	1,355
San Miguel	1	28	804
Santa Fe	2	159	484
Sierra	1	8	1,088
Socorro	1	8	1,663
Taos	1	28	725
Torrance	0	2	3,850
Union	1	2	2,350
Valencia	1	17	1,874

NA Not applicable.
1 Short-term, nonmilitary hospitals.
2 Does not include military medical personnel or federal and state civil service medical personnel; does include M.D.'s and Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine.
Source: University of New Mexico Health Resources Registry, *Statistical Summary 1982-1983.*

NUMBER OF REPORTED CASES OF SELECTED COMMUNICABLE DISEASES--NEW MEXICO

	1971	1979	1980	1981
Animal Rabies	9	49	45	28
Dog	0	8	2	0
Cat	0	1	1	0
Bat	1	12	17	18
Skunk	7	27	25	10
Other Species	1	1	0	0
Diptheria	8	0	0	0
Hepatitis	605	1,149	440	419
Measles	364	33	12	9
Pertussis	3	30	29	16
Plague	1	4	13	6
Rubella	251	12	5	5
Salmonella, Non-Typhoidal	88	184	212	327
Shigella	259	622	627	419
Tuberculosis	141	153	146	152
Typhoid	3	4	3	0
Gonorrhea	2,969	4,918	4,676	4,636
Syphillis				
Infectious	162	159	218	248
Noninfectious	136	74	52	100

Source: N.M. Health and Environment Department, Health Services Division, *New Mexico Selected Health Statistics, 1980-1981.*

MARRIAGES AND DISSOLUTIONS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1980

	Marriages		Dissolutions[2]	
	Number	Rate[1]	Number	Rate[1]
UNITED STATES	2,413,000	10.6	1,182,000	5.2
STATE	17,213	13.2	10,426	8.0
Bernalillo	5,165	12.3	4,298	10.2
Catron	24	8.8	15	5.5
Chaves	746	14.6	400	7.8
Cibola	na	na	na	na
Colfax	267	19.5	74	5.4
Curry	897	21.3	436	10.4
De Baca	38	15.5	8	3.3
Dona Ana	1,467	15.2	623	6.5
Eddy	715	14.9	378	7.9
Grant	332	12.7	175	6.7
Guadalupe	49	10.9	17	3.8
Harding	9	8.3	2	1.8
Hidalgo	71	11.7	18	3.0
Lea	1,052	18.8	526	9.4
Lincoln	203	18.5	106	9.6
Los Alamos	178	10.1	120	6.8
Luna	187	12.0	73	4.7
McKinley	430	7.6	182	3.2
Mora	24	5.7	22	5.2
Otero	698	15.6	426	9.5
Quay	142	13.4	77	7.3
Rio Arriba	78	2.7	100	3.4
Roosevelt	274	17.5	134	8.5
Sandoval	277	8.0	114	3.3
San Juan	912	11.2	725	8.9
San Miguel	243	10.7	159	7.0
Santa Fe	1,234	16.4	377	5.0
Sierra	95	11.2	157	18.6
Socorro	135	10.7	106	8.4
Taos	315	16.2	95	4.9
Torrance	86	11.5	111	14.8
Union	165	34.9	25	5.3
Valencia	705	11.5	347	5.7

na Not available.
1 Rates per 1,000 population.
2 Dissolution of marriage includes annulments and divorces.
Source: N.M. Health and Environmental Department, Health Services Division, *New Mexico Selected Health Statistics, 1980-1981;* and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, National Center for Health Statistics, *Monthly Vital Statistics Report.*

Voter Statistics

VOTES CAST FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY PARTY--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	November 2, 1976			November 4, 1980			
	Jimmy Carter & Walter Mondale Dem.	Gerald R. Ford & Robert Dole Rep.	Peter Camejo & Willie Mae Reid S.W.P.	Jimmy Carter & Walter Mondale Dem.	Ronald Reagan & George Bush Rep.	John B. Anderson & Patrick J. Lucey Am. Ind.	All Others[1]
STATE	201,148	211,419	2,462	167,826	250,779	29,459	8,173
Bernalillo	63,949	76,614	770	54,841	83,956	15,118	3,148
Catron	517	602	6	466	906	40	32
Chaves	7,139	10,631	126	5,350	12,502	543	199
Colfax	2,718	2,259	19	2,266	2,537	199	84
Curry	5,004	6,232	77	3,622	8,132	183	133
De Baca	597	556	5	484	655	14	13
Dona Ana	12,036	13,888	128	10,839	15,539	1,863	579
Eddy	9,073	7,698	84	7,028	9,817	326	188
Grant	5,176	4,095	29	4,600	4,628	349	184
Guadalupe	1,379	1,047	24	980	1,065	58	42
Harding	285	387	4	225	356	14	6
Hidalgo	938	891	4	840	1,059	59	33
Lea	6,533	8,773	116	5,006	10,727	298	154
Lincoln	1,415	2,320	19	1,127	3,009	172	56
Los Alamos	2,890	5,383	35	2,368	5,460	1,388	167
Luna	2,872	2,966	41	2,443	3,636	157	110
McKinley	6,856	4,617	81	4,869	7,329	498	238
Mora	1,438	904	19	1,274	1,037	44	30
Otero	5,333	5,914	68	4,111	7,210	478	166
Quay	2,095	2,059	22	1,422	2,499	58	46
Rio Arriba	7,125	3,213	86	6,245	3,794	379	173
Roosevelt	3,111	3,269	32	2,240	3,950	208	86
Sandoval	5,072	4,110	63	4,740	6,762	789	291
San Juan	8,615	10,852	95	6,705	15,579	741	474
San Miguel	5,204	3,162	109	4,514	3,292	416	147
Santa Fe	14,127	11,576	174	12,658	12,361	3,123	696
Sierra	1,564	1,665	17	1,169	2,222	117	47
Socorro	2,606	2,265	40	2,226	2,685	387	124
Taos	4,414	3,012	60	4,346	3,584	482	189
Torrance	1,526	1,462	13	1,261	1,907	101	52
Union	975	1,146	16	675	1,407	32	22
Valencia	8,566	7,851	30	6,886	11,177	825	254

1 Includes Libertarian, Prohibitionist, and Socialist parties.
Source: *State of New Mexico Official Returns*, 1976 and 1980, General and Primary Returns.

VOTING AND REGISTRATION IN THE 1980 AND 1982 ELECTIONS--NEW MEXICO

	1980		1982	
	% Reported Registered	% Reported Voted	% Reported Registered	% Reported Voted
Total Voting Population	66.9	58.8	67.5	58.1
Spanish Origin[1]	65.1	56.3	59.3	51.0

1 Data on other ethnic groups and races not available.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, *Current Population Reports*, "Voting and Registration in the Election of November 1980," Series P-20, No. 370; and "Voting and Registration in the Election of November 1982," Series P-20, No. 383.

VOTES CAST FOR GOVERNOR AND LT. GOVERNOR--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	November 2, 1982	
	Toney Anaya & Mike Runnels Democratic	John B. Trick & Colin R. McMillan Republican
STATE	215,840	191,626
Bernalillo	72,539	65,336
Catron	579	685
Chaves	6,074	10,636
Cibola	3,665	2,617
Colfax	2,655	1,922
Curry	3,408	6,399
De Baca	472	569
Dona Ana	12,051	13,337
Eddy	7,7[illegible]8	8,218
Grant	5,6[illegible]	3,809
Guadalupe	1,64[illegible]	514
Harding	328	287
Hidalgo	959	833
Lincoln	4,548	8,031
Lea	1,368	2,608
Los Alamos	3,542	4,674
Luna	2,558	3,159
McKinley	6,911	4,033
Mora	1,580	682
Otero	4,186	6,497
Quay	1,572	2,003
Rio Arriba	8,145	2,040
Roosevelt	1,596	3,339
Sandoval	7,139	4,846
San Juan	9,225	11,092
San Miguel	5,439	1,588
Santa Fe	19,737	8,952
Sierra	1,550	1,922
Socorro	2,969	2,118
Taos	6,121	1,802
Torrance	1,881	1,432
Union	766	1,167
Valencia	7,220	4,479

Source: *State of New Mexico Official Returns*, 1982 General, Special and Primary Returns.

VOTER REGISTRATION--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES

	1980				
	Democrat	Republican	Minor Parties	Declined to State[1]	Total
STATE	408,929	194,263	4,639	44,856	652,687
Bernalillo	124,716	76,902	607	20,269	222,494
Catron	1,263	635	39	100	2,037
Chaves	15,116	10,014	201	1,269	26,600
Colfax	4,863	1,794	454	9	7,120
Curry	11,871	4,434	7	776	17,088
De Baca	1,408	203	13	11	1,635
Dona Ana	26,600	12,150	106	4,151	43,007
Eddy	18,546	4,511	19	643	23,719
Grant	10,732	2,483	17	539	13,771
Guadalupe	2,686	762	0	99	3,547
Harding	453	379	3	21	856
Hidalgo	2,528	446	68	45	3,087
Lea	16,754	5,757	59	636	23,206
Lincoln	3,380	2,620	2	310	6,312
Los Alamos	5,954	4,621	9	1,329	11,913
Luna	6,094	2,400	27	492	9,013
McKinley	12,864	4,221	29	1,494	18,608
Mora	2,280	1,069	75	39	3,463
Otero	11,309	4,938	97	1,095	17,439
Quay	4,361	1,181	7	138	5,687
Rio Arriba	12,542	2,642	387	794	16,365
Roosevelt	7,072	2,512	26	448	10,058
Sandoval	11,164	5,123	45	1,359	17,691
San Juan	19,080	12,689	69	2,132	33,970
San Miguel	8,760	2,619	138	681	12,198
Santa Fe	27,680	9,313	950	2,951	40,894
Sierra	3,071	1,878	240	40	5,229
Socorro	4,282	2,585	423	392	7,682
Taos	8,559	2,873	423	526	12,381
Torrance	3,058	1,579	3	208	4,848
Union	1,867	801	61	45	2,774
Valencia	18,016	8,129	35	1,815	27,995

1 Independent or non-aligned.
Source: New Mexico Secretary of State's Office.

Welfare

FOOD STAMP ASSISTANCE--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES
1982[1]

	Recipients			
	Number of Families Certified*/ Recertified	Number of Persons[2]	% of Population Receiving Food Stamps	Average Value of Food Stamps Issued Per Family
STATE	58,085	181,134	13.2	$143.01
Bernalillo	14,637	40,581	9.3	$135.97
Catron	121	379	14.0	159.43
Chaves	2,159	6,625	12.2	138.11
Cibola	1,374	4,868	17.6	149.09
Colfax	552	1,785	14.3	$133.09
Curry	1,669	4,994	11.2	137.30
De Baca	118	314	13.1	109.08
Dona Ana	4,200	14,681	14.7	154.09
Eddy	1,486	4,623	9.2	$141.97
Grant	1,714	5,897	20.4	161.12
Guadalupe	413	1,154	25.6	113.92
Harding	62	201	20.1	117.42
Hidalgo	334	1,121	17.2	$148.66
Lea	1,426	4,775	8.0	150.45
Lincoln	302	840	6.9	126.02
Los Alamos	[3]	[3]	[3]	[3]
Luna	1,015	3,431	21.2	$153.75
McKinley	5,136	19,579	31.9	172.70
Mora	460	1,379	31.3	125.82
Otero	1,407	4,292	9.0	135.70
Quay	383	1,063	10.2	$121.98
Rio Arriba	3,008	8,339	27.6	123.41
Roosevelt	894	2,535	15.7	131.22
Sandoval	1,822	7,390	21.0	180.72
San Juan	3,479	12,455	13.5	$164.20
San Miguel	2,034	5,708	23.2	124.42
Santa Fe	2,636	6,810	8.7	123.49
Sierra	455	1,187	13.3	114.65
Socorro	1,128	3,407	23.7	$136.15
Taos	1,723	4,722	23.4	121.84
Torrance	558	1,695	21.5	133.32
Union	186	580	11.1	125.68
Valencia	1,194	3,724	11.9	139.44

* Between 96 and 100 percent of certified families participate in the program.
1 As of December 1982.
2 Total persons within certified families.
3 Figures for Los Alamos (if any) included in those for Rio Arriba County.
Source: N.M. Department of Human Services, Income Support Division, *Monthly Statistical Report*, December 1982; and U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS--NEW MEXICO COUNTIES*
FY 1980-81
($000s)[1]

	Total Cash Grants	AFDC[2]	AFDC-[2] Foster Care	Refugee Resettlement Program	Food Stamps	General Assistance	Adult Residential Care Supplement	Average Number of Recipients Per Month		% of Population Receiving HSSD Cash Grants[3]
								Cases	Persons	
STATE	$47,177	$45,034	$170	$816	$88,749	$927	$229	20,769	57,672	4.4
Bernalillo	$16,223	$15,004	11	$735	$23,892	$375	$ 57	6,982	18,694	4.5
Catron	39	38	0	0	137	L	0	18	45	1.7
Chaves	1,731	1,683	10	1	3,518	37	0	726	2,059	4.0
Colfax	512	495	7	0	755	9	0	221	620	4.5
Curry	$ 1,980	$ 1,841	$ 29	$ 66	$ 2,781	$ 41	$ 3	803	2,396	5.7
De Baca	64	63	0	0	131	1	0	26	78	3.2
Dona Ana	2,941	2,858	29	3	6,633	34	18	1,230	3,718	3.9
Eddy	1,154	1,122	19	0	2,004	11	2	494	1,434	3.0
Grant	$ 797	$ 766	$ 0	$ 0	$ 1,458	$ 9	$ 22	358	977	3.7
Guadalupe	263	253	0	0	549	6	4	133	355	7.9
Harding	15	13	0	0	48	2	0	6	16	1.5
Hidalgo	258	242	0	0	414	16	0	101	322	5.3
Lea	$ 1,452	$ 1,424	$ 4	$ 0	$ 2,366	$ 24	$ 0	593	1,847	3.3
Lincoln	268	253	L	0	438	10	4	125	324	2.9
Los Alamos	29	28	L	1	a	L	0	15	33	0.2
Luna	514	505	0	0	1,335	9	0	220	641	4.1
McKinley	$ 3,296	$ 3,290	$ 0	$ 0	$ 8,497	$ 6	$ 0	1,588	4,562	8.3
Mora	296	283	0	0	601	10	3	137	374	8.9
Otero	1,041	1,013	9	0	2,285	20	0	446	1,242	2.8
Quay	366	357	0	0	659	9	0	165	431	4.1
Rio Arriba	$ 1,572	$ 1,500	$ 17	$ 0	$ 4,003	$ 41	$ 15	737	1,942	6.6
Roosevelt	713	674	20	0	1,265	19	0	296	878	5.6
Sandoval	1,074	1,062	0	1	3,351	11	0	516	1,484	4.3
San Juan	2,457	2,440	0	0	5,379	17	0	1,159	3,319	4.1
San Miguel	$ 1,782	$ 1,669	$ 0	$ 0	$ 2,749	$ 33	$ 80	853	2,170	9.5
Santa Fe	2,136	2,030	2	3	4,782	86	16	972	2,521	3.3
Sierra	274	262	2	0	501	10	0	115	330	3.9
Socorro	629	609	1	5	1,566	14	0	276	819	6.3
Taos	$ 1,015	$ 989	$ 0	$ L	$ 2,347	$ 26	$ 0	466	1,245	6.6
Torrance	300	290	2	0	818	8	0	134	376	5.0
Union	112	98	7	0	195	3	4	54	135	2.9
Valencia	1,874	1,842	1	0	3,292	31	0	804	2,285	3.7

* Detail may not add to total due to rounding.
a Figure for Los Alamos is included with that of Rio Arriba.
L Less than $500.
1 Figures do not reflect retroactive payments and other bookkeeping adjustments.
2 Aid to families with dependent children.
3 Average number of persons receiving cash grants each month compared with Bureau of the Census mid-1980 population estimates.
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County Data Tables

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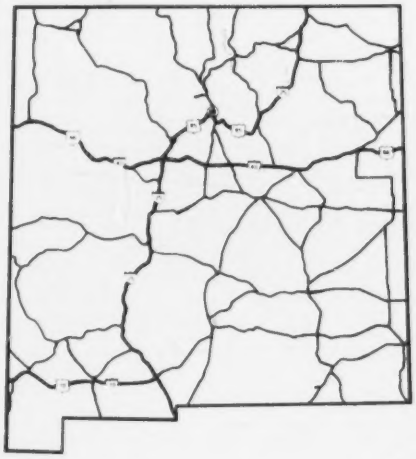
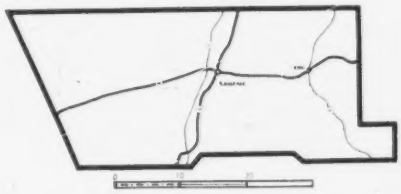


STATE CAPITAL: Santa Fe	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	121,335
POPULATION	
State, 1982	1,367,000
State, 1980	1,303,143
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	10.7
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	223,453
Deaths	80,874
Natural Increase	142,579
Inferred Net Migration	143,509
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	252,326
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.6
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,509
Median Family, 1979	16,928
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	14.0
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	13.9
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	9.2
JOBS, 1982	
Total	473,900
Manufacturing	34,000
Mining	26,700
Construction	31,900
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	29,800
Wholesale & Retail Trade	109,400
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	21,800
Services & Miscellaneous	94,900
Government	125,400
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 765,609
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,389
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 798,855
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$7,766,059
Savings & Loan Assets	3,271,293
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	$8,629,642
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	$6,144,846

Bernalillo

Bernalillo County, located in the central portion of the state, is bisected by the Rio Grande and bounded on the east by the Sandia Mountains. Although the second smallest in land area, Bernalillo is New Mexico's most populous county in which almost one third of the state's population reside. Most of the population is concentrated along the Rio Grande in Albuquerque, the state's largest city. By New Mexican standards, the Albuquerque economy is diverse, although it is still heavily reliant on governmental expenditures to such institutions as Kirtland Air Force Base, Sandia Laboratories, the University of New Mexico, and the Veterans Hospital. Albuquerque is the center of transportation, wholesale and retail trade, finance, and medical service within a 265-mile radius. Tourism also contributes to the county's economic base and, within the last few years, several major electronics manufacturers have located plants in the Albuquerque area.



COUNTY: Bernalillo	
COUNTY SEAT: Albuquerque	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	1,169
POPULATION	
County, 1982	434,600
County, 1980	420,261
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	359.5
Albuquerque	332,336
Los Ranchos de Albuquerque	2,857
Tijeras	311
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	62,988
Deaths	22,776
Natural Increase	40,212
Inferred Net Migration	64,275
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	72,011
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.8
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 9,823
Median Family, 1979	19,294
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	10.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.7
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	9.7
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	8.3
JOBS, 1982	
Total	186,606
Manufacturing	17,355
Mining	223
Construction	11,382
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	11,872
Wholesale & Retail Trade	47,232
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	11,063
Services & Miscellaneous	46,484
Government	40,995
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 25,020
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	1,118
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 22,249
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$2,881,823
Savings & Loan Assets	1,839,365
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$1,736,885
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$2,133,360
Albuquerque	2,008,080

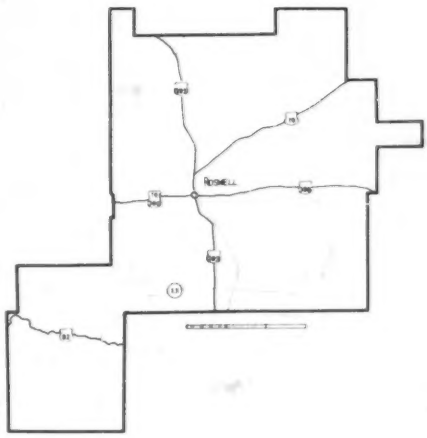
Catron

Catron County is centrally located on the state's western border in the heart of some of the most spectacular country in the Southwest. The terrain consists predominantly of mountains and high mesas with extensive plains regions in the north and east. Largely undeveloped, the county is New Mexico's largest and most sparsely populated. There were no incorporated communities in Catron as late as 1974, when the county seat of Reserve incorporated with a population of 375. More than half the land area is designated as one of three national forests: the Gila, Cibola, and Apache. A portion of the Gila Forest was declared wilderness in 1924, making it the oldest declared wilderness in the U.S. The county's economic base is largely confined to cattle ranching and government employment. Like many other rural New Mexico counties, population is gradually declining because of consistently low incomes and high rates of unemployment.

COUNTY: Catron	
COUNTY SEAT: Reserve	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	6,929
POPULATION	
County, 1982	2,700
County, 1980	2,720
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	0.4
Reserve	439
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	381
Deaths	200
Natural Increase	181
Inferred Net Migration	341
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	554
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 4,484
Median Family, 1979	11,884
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	17.4
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.3
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	13.9
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982	18.9
JOBS, 1982	
Total	402
Manufacturing	*
Mining	*
Construction	*
Transporation, Communications & Utilities	*
Wholesale & Retail Trade	31
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	*
Services & Miscellaneous	97
Government	274
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Total Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 74
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	6,971
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 11,839
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	na
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 20,719
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	3,570

Chaves

Located in the southeastern quadrant of the state, Chaves County is New Mexico's fourth largest county in land area. The county is relatively low in elevation, its terrain varying from flat land to rolling hills. The Pecos River roughly bisects the county from north to south, forming the major watershed. The county seat, Roswell, is the major population center with a 1980 population of 39,676. Prior to the 1968 closing of Walker Air Force Base in Roswell, much of the county's economy was based on federal expenditures. Subsequently, agriculture, manufacturing and mining (petroleum and natural gas) have become the mainstays of the area's economy. Roswell's position as a regional trade and service center also contributes to the county's economic base. The county is well suited for growing cotton, but hay and cattle feed have become the primary crops because of the expansion of feedlot operations in Roswell. Many of the abandoned air base buildings have been converted to light manufacturing facilities; others have been employed to establish a branch campus of Eastern New Mexico University. The New Mexico Military Institute is also located in Roswell.



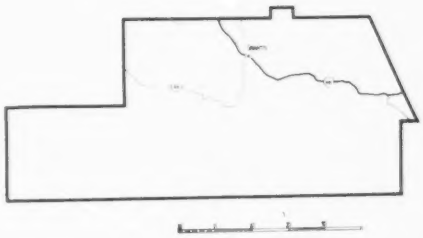
COUNTY: Chaves

COUNTY SEAT: Roswell

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	6,066
POPULATION	
County, 1982	54,500
County, 1980	51,103
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	8.4
Dexter	882
Hagerman	936
Lake Arthur	327
Roswell	39,676
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	8,009
Deaths	4,523
Natural Increase	3,486
Inferred Net Migration	4,282
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	10,090
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,984
Median Family, 1979	14,809
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	14.3
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.6
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	13.0
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	6.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	18,074
Manufacturing	2,236
Mining	1,099
Construction	1,378
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	961
Wholesale & Retail Trade	4,882
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	920
Services & Miscellaneous	2,924
Government	3,674
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 535
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	5,604
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 82,885
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 476,232
Savings & Loan Assets	261,615
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 222,836
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 254,004
Roswell	230,057

Cibola

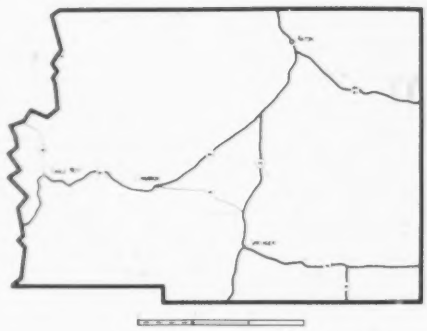
Cibola is the newest county in New Mexico, created by the state legislature in July 1981. It was carved from the western portion of Valencia County, extending east to Bernalillo County and west to the Arizona border. The northern portion of the county is fairly mountainous, with much of this area within the Cibola National Forest. A lava flow lying east of the Continental Divide winds its way southward through the middle portion of the county. The county is sparsely populated, with the largest community of Grants having a 1980 population of 11,439. Income is derived chiefly from uranium mining. However, the economy is relatively unpredictable because it is directly related to demand for uranium, which has fluctuated substantially during the last 25 years. In accordance with the current county boundaries, Cibola's 1980 population was estimated at 30,347 persons.



COUNTY: Cibola	
COUNTY SEAT: Grants	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,180
POPULATION	
County, 1982	27,600
County, 1980	30,347
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	7.3
Urban	11,439
Rural	3,747
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	na
Deaths	na
Natural Increase	na
Inferred Net Migration	na
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	4,857
Median School Years Completed, 1980	na
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	na
Median Family, 1979	na
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	na
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	16.0
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	20.4
JOBS, 1982	
Total	4,754
Manufacturing	165
Mining	1,140
Construction	309
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	287
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,003
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	87
Services & Miscellaneous	756
Government	1,007
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	na
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	na
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 72,780
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 96,019
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 75,166
Urban	48,426
Rural	22,030

Colfax

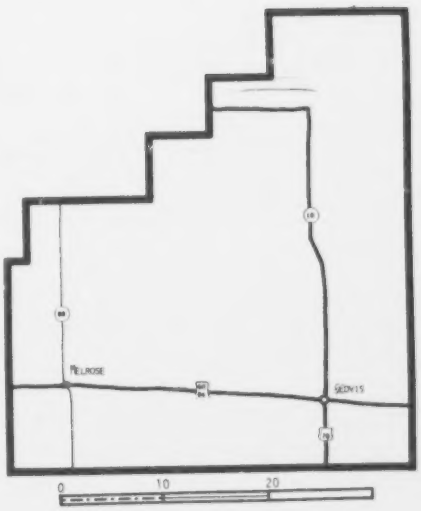
Bordering Colorado, Colfax County incorporates both mountains and high plains with altitudes ranging from 5,800 to over 12,000 feet. Mining, particularly coal, has long been the major income-producing activity in the county. Since coal mining activity peaked between 1915 and 1920, Colfax County has faced a declining economy and population. Between 1920 and 1970 the population fell from 21,550 to 12,170. During the 1970s there seemed to be some reversal of this trend. However, earnings in the mining sector declined slightly from 1980 to 1981, and county unemployment has risen over the last several years. Cattle and hay production as well as manufacturing and tourist-related activity are also important components of the county's economy. Local tourist attractions include the Philmont Scout Ranch, the National Rifle Association's Outdoor Center, several ski areas, and La Mesa Park, a horse race track located in Raton. Raton is the county's largest community and seat of the county government.



COUNTY: Colfax	
COUNTY SEAT: Raton	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,762
POPULATION	
County, 1982	12,500
County, 1980	13,667
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	3.6
Raton	8,225
Springer	1,657
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	2,170
Deaths	1,241
Natural Increase	929
Inferred Net Migration	568
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,710
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,296
Median Family, 1979	15,833
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	13.5
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.5
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	13.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	8.7
JOBS, 1982	
Total	4,999
Manufacturing	364
Mining	*
Construction	216
Transportion, Communications & Utilities	199
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,096
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	257
Services & Miscellaneous	1,771
Government	1,095
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	8,164
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 20,682
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 165,198
Savings & Loan Assets	14,086
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 81,313
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 63,367
Raton	47,627

Curry

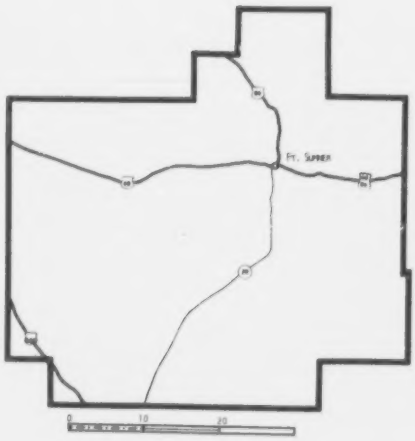
Located on the Texas–New Mexico border, the landscape in Curry County consists of flat farm and grass land interrupted by occasional rolling hills. The farmland typically produces more wheat, corn, and feed sorghum than any other county in the state. More economically significant than the croplands are the county's feedlots, the largest of which is located at Clovis. Clovis, also the county seat, is the major population and trade center for east-central New Mexico and parts of Texas. Cannon Air Force Base, near Clovis, is the most important single source of personal income in the county. Manufacturing is dominated by the cattle feed preparation and meat packing industries.



COUNTY: Curry	
COUNTY SEAT: Clovis	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	1,408
POPULATION	
County, 1982	44,400
County, 1980	42,019
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	29.8
Cannon AFB	3,798
Clovis	31,194
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	9,830
Deaths	2,838
Natural Increase	6,992
Inferred Net Migration	-4,490
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	8,116
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.5
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,002
Median Family, 1979	15,481
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	11.7
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	4.1
% of Person Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	11.9
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	6.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	11,024
Manufacturing	759
Mining	*
Construction	647
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	1,119
Wholesale & Retail Trade	3,520
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	547
Services & Miscellaneous	1,931
Government	2,501
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	1,270
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 87,686
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 311,205
Savings & Loan Assets	152,251
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 147,017
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 179,834
Clovis	166,950

De Baca

Located in the east-central region of New Mexico, the landscape of De Baca County consists of rolling plains and mesas divided from north to south by the Pecos River. The economy of the county is based almost wholly on the livestock industry. Consequently, personal income is closely related to cattle prices which are subject to substantial fluctuation. In addition to agriculture, some income is generated in the trade, services and government sectors. Fort Sumner, with a 1980 population of 1,421, is the county seat and the only incorporated place in the county. The town is named after an old fort which housed the military from 1862 to 1869 in order to oversee some 7,000 Navajos who were interned nearby.



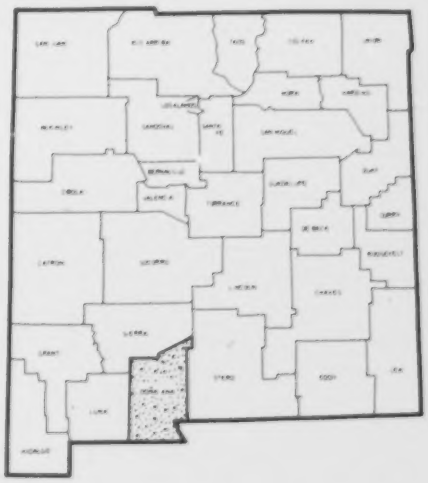
COUNTY: De Baca

COUNTY SEAT: Fort Sumner

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,323
POPULATION	
County, 1982	2,400
County, 1980	2,454
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	1.1
Fort Sumner	1,421
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	327
Deaths	326
Natural Increase	1
Inferred Net Migration	-94
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	435
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,364
Median Family, 1979	12,052
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	14.5
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	12.8
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	4.7
JOBS, 1982	
Total	503
Manufacturing	*
Mining	0
Construction	39
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	41
Wholesale & Retail Trade	117
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	13
Services & Miscellaneous	93
Government	202
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	6,159
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 11,516
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	na
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 12,480
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 5,888
Fort Sumner	5,315

Dona Ana

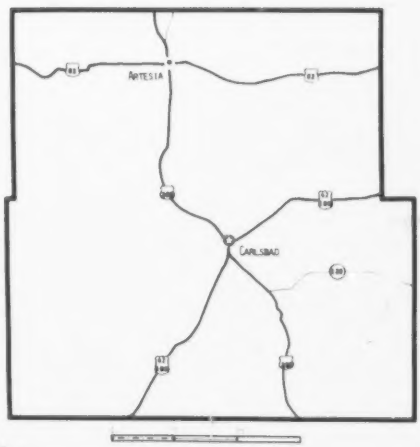
Doña Ana County has the second largest population in New Mexico and is the sixteenth largest in land area. Situated in the south-central portion of the state, it has a common border with both Texas and Mexico. The El Paso–Juarez metropolitan area lies just across the border. Agricultural and population centers are located along the Rio Grande, which traverses the county from the northwest to southeast corner. Crop production is an important aspect of the Doña Ana economy, particularly cotton and vegetables (lettuce, onions, chili, and tomatoes). Outside of the Rio Grande Valley, most of the county is sparsely populated, semiarid flat and low mountain land suitable only for ranching. In addition to agriculture, Doña Ana derives substantial economic benefit from federal expenditures associated with the White Sands Missile Range near Las Cruces and New Mexico State University, the state's second largest university located in Las Cruces. The county is served by two major interstate highways, Interstate 10 and Interstate 25 which intersect at Las Cruces, the county seat and the state's third largest city.



COUNTY: Dona Ana	
COUNTY SEAT: Las Cruces	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,819
POPULATION	
County, 1982	99,800
County, 1980	96,340
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	25.2
Anthony	3,285
Hatch	1,028
Las Cruces	45,086
Mesilla	2,029
University Park	4,353
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	15,964
Deaths	4,306
Natural Increase	11,658
Inferred Net Migration	14,909
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	21,423
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.5
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,237
Median Family, 1979	14,914
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	18.3
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.6
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	15.2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	9.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	31,200
Manufacturing	2,900
Mining	*
Construction	1,600
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	1,300
Wholesale & Trade	5,900
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	1,200
Services & Miscellaneous	4,200
Government	14,100
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	489
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 83,267
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 384,007
Savings & Loan Assets	183,257
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 332,024
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 325,241
Las Cruces	288,258

Eddy

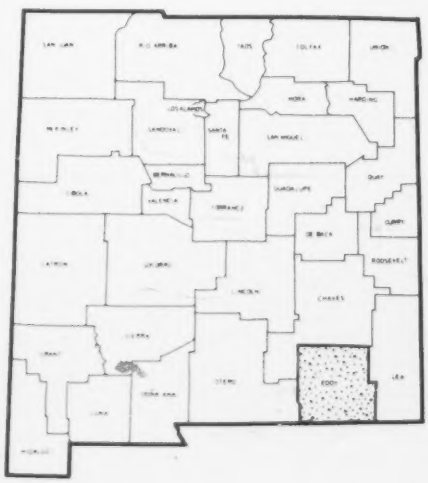
Eddy County is located near the southeast corner of the state, bordering Texas on the south. The Pecos River crosses the county from north to south and enters Texas at the lowest elevation in New Mexico (2,841 feet). The river has been dammed at several points in the county forming various reservoir lakes. Irrigated land in the Pecos Valley produces hay and cotton, but most of the county is semiarid brush and grassland suitable only for cattle ranching. Mining of potash, oil, and gas provides the principal source of income in the county. Tourists visiting Carlsbad Caverns National Park and the Lincoln National Forest also contribute to the economic base. Carlsbad, the most populous community and county seat, has commanded national attention as the location of the Waste Isolation Pilot Project (WIPP), a national radioactive materials dump near the city.



COUNTY: Eddy

COUNTY SEAT: Carlsbad

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,184
POPULATION	
County, 1982	50,400
County, 1980	47,855
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	11.4
Artesia	10,385
Carlsbad	25,496
Loving	1,355
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	7,728
Deaths	3,748
Natural Increase	3,980
Inferred Net Migration	2,756
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	10,020
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.3
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 9,000
Median Family, 1979	17,086
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	10.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.4
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	9.7
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	8.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	18,387
Manufacturing	1,091
Mining	4,935
Construction	1,388
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	1,344
Wholesale & Retail Trade	3,696
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	675
Services & Miscellaneous	2,903
Government	2,355
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	1,863
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 46,255
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 433,100
Savings & Loan Assets	192,009
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 813,417
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 276,099
Carlsbad	156,064
Artesia	103,585



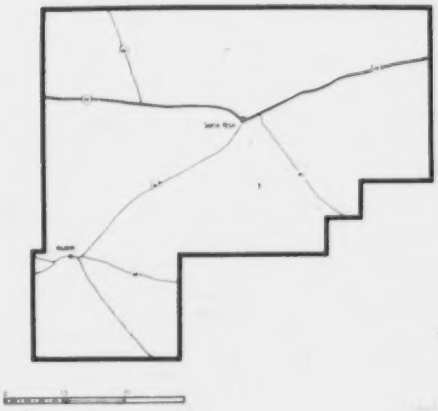
Grant

Grant County, bounded on the west by the Arizona border, is situated in the southwest quadrant of the state. The terrain consists of mountains with occasional rolling flat lands. The source of the Gila River and its tributaries is located in the mountainous north-central region of the county and flows into Arizona. Portions of the Gila National Forest and Wilderness Area, the oldest designated wilderness in the U.S., occupy approximately one-third of the county's total area. Metal mining, particularly copper, has dominated economic activity for more than 150 years. Significant amounts of silver, gold, lead, zinc, and molybdenum are also mined, but open-pit copper mining, milling and smelting are the most important income-producing activities in the county. However, the county's heavy dependence upon the copper industry made the effects of the last recession particularly severe. The unemployment rate rose from 7.6 percent in 1980 to almost 30 percent in 1982. Ranching, tourism, and governmental expenditure also contribute to the economic base. Silver City, the county seat and largest community in Grant County, is the site of Western New Mexico University.

COUNTY: Grant	
COUNTY SEAT: Silver City	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,969
POPULATION	
County, 1982	28,900
County, 1980	26,204
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	6.6
Bayard	3,036
Central	1,968
Hurley	1,616
Silver City	9,887
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	4,987
Deaths	1,818
Natural Increase	3,169
Inferred Net Migration	1,005
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	5,932
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,772
Median Family, 1979	17,839
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	12.4
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	22.5
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	28.3
JOBS, 1982	
Total	8,089
Manufacturing	318
Mining	1,391
Construction	1,108
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	295
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,625
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	223
Services & Miscellaneous	911
Government	2,217
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 377,080
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	4,441
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 6,610
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 106,196
Savings & Loan Assets	12,403
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 191,762
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 89,783
Silver City	71,430

Guadalupe

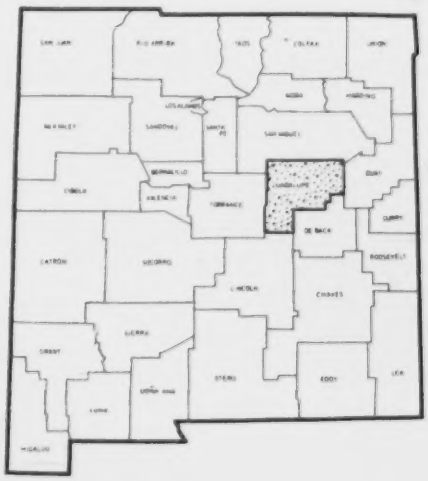
Guadalupe County is located on the east-central plains of New Mexico. Like other surrounding counties, the terrain consists mostly of flat grassland and brushland interrupted by small hills and mesas. The Pecos River crosses the county from the northwest to the southeast before flowing into Alamogordo Reservoir just south of the Guadalupe–De Baca County line. Santa Rosa, the largest community and county seat, lies on Interstate 40, about halfway between Albuquerque and the state's eastern border. Servicing travelers on Interstate 40, Santa Rosa's motel-restaurant businesses provide the county's chief source of personal income, but cattle ranching is also an important activity. Guadalupe tends to be one of New Mexico's poorer counties, partly because of the traditionally low wages associated with the trade, services and agriculture sectors.



COUNTY: Guadalupe

COUNTY SEAT: Santa Rosa

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,032
POPULATION	
County, 1982	4,500
County, 1980	4,496
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	1.5
Santa Rosa	2,469
Vaughn	737
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	826
Deaths	425
Natural Increase	401
Inferred Net Migration	-874
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	1,005
Median School Years Completed, 1980	11.8
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 5,161
Median Family, 1979	10,532
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	27.0
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	6.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	25.7
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	7.1
JOBS, 1982	
Total	1,112
Manufacturing	*
Mining	0
Construction	46
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	55
Wholesale & Retail Trade	367
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	55
Services & Miscellaneous	267
Government	326
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	0
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	7,048
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 13,844
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 39,301
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 16,852
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 15,805
Santa Rosa	11,961



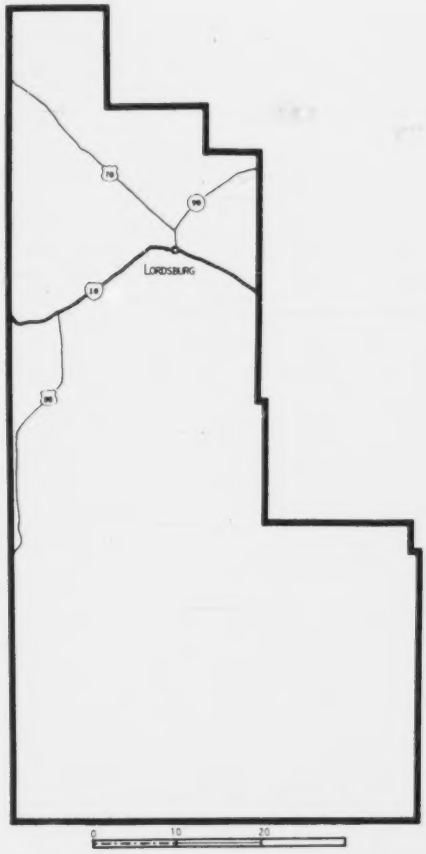
Harding

Located in northeastern New Mexico, the landscape of Harding County consists of vast plains and mesas bounded on the east by the steep-sided Canadian River Canyon. Personal income in the county is derived almost exclusively from cattle ranching which varies substantially from year to year. State and local government expenditures and the trade and services sectors also contribute to the economic base of the county. Harding has been losing population since its creation in 1921 when approximately 5,000 people lived in the county. Based on the 1980 population of 1,090 people, Harding is the least populous and the second least densely populated county in the state.

COUNTY: Harding	
COUNTY SEAT: Mosquero	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,122
POPULATION	
County, 1982	1,000
County, 1980	1,090
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	0.5
Mosquero	197
Roy	381
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	128
Deaths	116
Natural Increase	12
Inferred Net Migration	-270
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	185
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,452
Median Family, 1979	12,792
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	16.9
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	0.3
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	18.4
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	4.1
JOBS, 1982	
Total	217
Manufacturing	61
Mining	*
Construction	23
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	*
Wholesale & Retail Trade	20
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	*
Services & Miscellaneous	22
Government	92
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	7,191
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$11,939
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	na
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 6,801
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 1,666

Hidalgo

Bordering Arizona and Mexico and located farther south than any other New Mexico county, Hidalgo County forms the southwestern corner of the state. The terrain varies from semiarid plains, dotted with extensive alkali, flat and playa lake regions, to rugged mountain ranges with elevations ranging from 3,700 to 8,500 feet. The economy of Hidalgo County is tied historically to the travel service industry. Travelers came first by stage coach, then by railroad, and now by interstate highway. Interstate 10, crossing the northern third of the county, is a major east-west transcontinental thoroughfare, particularly when winter creates hazardous driving conditions farther north. Agriculture, especially cattle ranching, is another traditional mainstay of the county's economy. In the late 1970s copper refining also became important economically because of the location of the Phelps-Dodge Hidalgo Smelter near Playas. Lordsburg, located on the rail line and Interstate 10, is the most populous community and county seat.



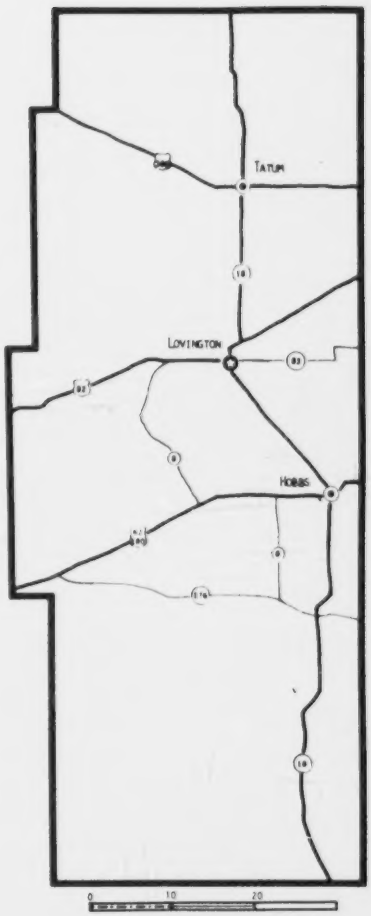
COUNTY: Hidalgo

COUNTY SEAT: Lordsburg

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,445
POPULATION	
County, 1982	6,500
County, 1980	6,049
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	1.8
Lordsburg	3,195
Virden	246
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	1,301
Deaths	498
Natural Increase	803
Inferred Net Migration	512
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	1,488
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.3
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,456
Median Family, 1979	16,166
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	14.7
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	5.5
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	18.5
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	10.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	1,728
Manufacturing	*
Mining	*
Construction	63
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	66
Wholesale & Retail Trade	374
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	37
Services & Miscellaneous	805
Government	383
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 1,171
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	10,535
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$12,899
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$21,243
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$89,765
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$15,619
Lordsburg	11,877

Lea

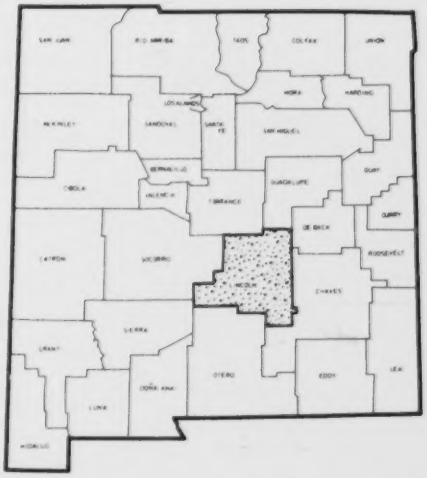
Forming the southeastern corner of the state, Lea County shares its borders with Texas on the south and east. The terrain is characterized by vast grassy plains and brushlands dotted with numerous playa lakes. One of the more prosperous counties in the state, Lea's income is derived chiefly from the production of oil and natural gas. Because of rising oil prices in the 1970s and increased exploration activities, employment in the mining sector grew steadily through the decade. However, the recession of the last few years caused a significant decline in the sector's employment. Cattle and crops also play a major role in the county's economy. While Lovington is the seat of county government, Hobbs is the largest community in the county with 29,153 people.



COUNTY: Lea	
COUNTY SEAT: Lovington	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,390
POPULATION	
County, 1982	59,800
County, 1980	55,993
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	12.8
Eunice	2,970
Hobbs	29,153
Jal	2,675
Lovington	9,727
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	10,421
Deaths	3,523
Natural Increase	6,898
Inferred Net Migration	-459
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	12,697
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.3
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$10,713
Median Family, 1979	20,444
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	9.0
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.2
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	8.5
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	4.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	27,831
Manufacturing	1,227
Mining	8,199
Construction	2,201
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	2,618
Wholesale & Retail Trade	6,412
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	1,005
Services & Miscellaneous	3,512
Government	2,657
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	4,407
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$35,221
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$589,141
Savings & Loan Assets	29,943
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$1,470,848
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 427,898
Hobbs	284,936

Lincoln

The Jicarilla and Capitan Mountains separate the plains lying to the east and west of them in centrally located Lincoln County. A relatively recent lava flow, known as malpais, covers much of the southwestern corner of the county. Part of this area has been designated as Valley of the Fires State Park. Lincoln is best known for its range wars waged in the late 1870s for political and economic dominance of this region. Cattle ranching which dominated the local economy was at the heart of the dispute. Ranching continues to be important today, but the recreation-tourism industry has surpassed it as the principal source of income. Parts of two national forests, a ski resort, a horse racing track and a motel-restaurant-resort complex draw tourists and provide most of the jobs in the county. Ruidoso is the largest community, but Carrizozo is the seat of county government.



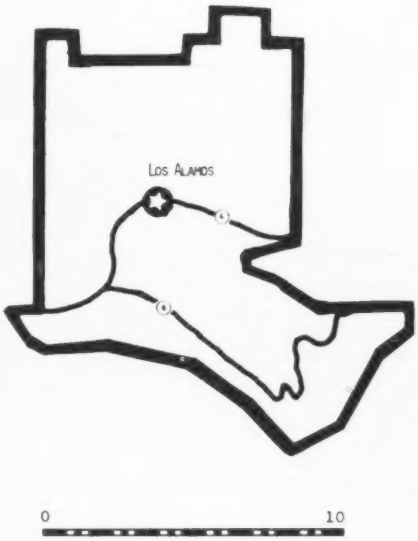
COUNTY: Lincoln

COUNTY SEAT: Carrizozo

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,832
POPULATION	
County, 1932	12,200
County, 1980	10,997
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	2.3
Capitan	762
Carrizozo	1,222
Ruidoso	4,260
Ruidoso Downs	949
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	1,505
Deaths	760
Natural Increase	745
Inferred Net Migration	2,692
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,492
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.6
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,140
Median Family, 1979	15,817
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	13.2
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	1.9
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	7.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	3.9
JOBS, 1982	
Total	4,271
Manufacturing	130
Mining	*
Construction	527
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	192
Wholesale & Retail Trade	990
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	369
Services & Miscellaneous	1,083
Government	982
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	6,474
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$12,933
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$103,192
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$102,756
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 85,306
Ruidoso	64,808
Ruidoso Downs	6,396

Los Alamos

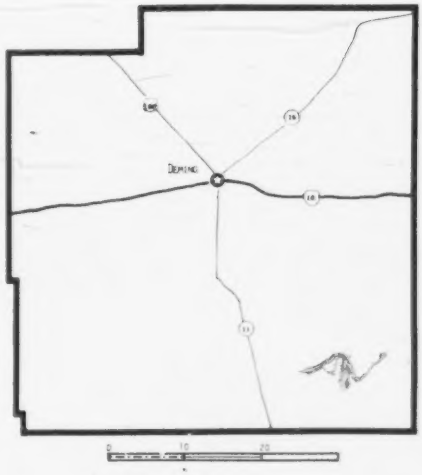
Situated in the Jemez Mountains, the landscape of Los Alamos County consists of relatively high mountains and plateaus intermittently cut by deep canyons. New Mexico's smallest county was created from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe Counties during World War II to provide a secure and isolated location for the development of the world's first atomic bomb. Since the successful completion of the Manhattan Project, the emphasis of research conducted at Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) has changed somewhat, but the concept of Los Alamos as a federal "think tank" has remained unaltered. More than 93 percent of the land in the county is held by the federal government, and the government sector is directly responsible for three-quarters of all the jobs in the county and indirectly responsible for the remaining employment in retail trade, services and construction. Because of the county's unique economic base, residents generally have enjoyed the highest average incomes, the highest levels of education, and have been subject to the lowest levels of unemployment in the state. According to the latest census, 17,599 people live in Los Alamos County.



COUNTY: Los Alamos	
COUNTY SEAT: Los Alamos	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	10.9
POPULATION	
County, 1982	19,600
County, 1980	17,599
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	161.5
Los Alamos	11,039
White Rock	6,560
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	1,836
Deaths	492
Natural Increase	1,344
Inferred Net Migration	1,057
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	4,000
Median School Years Completed, 1980	15.5
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$15,536
Median Family, 1979	50,307
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	3.5
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	0.2
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	(Included in Rio Arriba County)
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	2.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	13,358
Manufacturing	75
Mining	0
Construction	191
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	75
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,005
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	270
Services & Miscellaneous	2,846
Government	8,895
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	0
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	na
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	na
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 70,822
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$113,196
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 61,877

Luna

Located on the state's southern border, the terrain in Luna County consists of semiarid plains interrupted by scattered mountains. While cattle, cotton and sorghum are the traditional mainstays of the economy, manufacturing and tourism have recently come to play increasingly important roles. Additional support comes from the growing number of retired citizens wishing to take advantage of the warm and sunny climate. Deming, the largest community and county seat, is located on Interstate 10 which is a major east-west transcontinental thoroughfare, especially during the winter months when northern driving conditions are unpredictable and hazardous. Much of the economy of Deming, and in turn Luna County, relies upon the tourist-related establishments located along this route. Two major tourist attractions are Rock Hound State Park, a geologic phenomenon, and Pancho Villa State Park, a historical site commemorating the famous Mexican revolutionary's raid on the border town of Columbus, New Mexico.



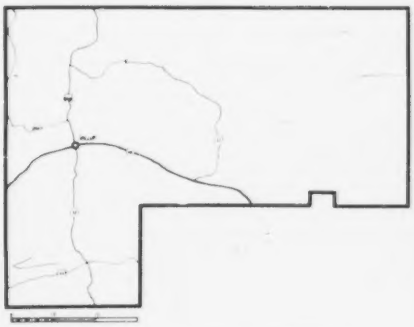
COUNTY: Luna

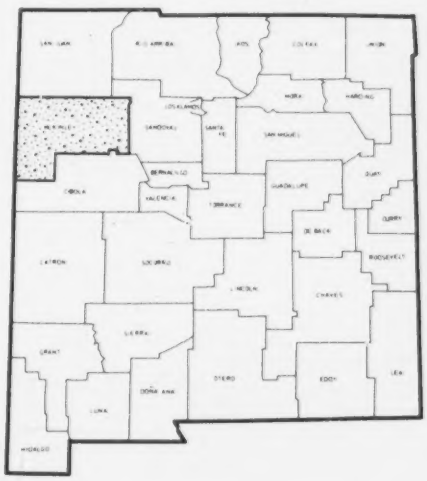
COUNTY SEAT: Deming

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,965
POPULATION	
County, 1982	16,200
County, 1980	15,585
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	5.3
Columbus	414
Deming	9,964
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	2,766
Deaths	1,459
Natural Increase	1,307
Inferred Net Migration	2,572
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	3,267
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,241
Median Family, 1979	11,555
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	19.2
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	4.3
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	22.0
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	12.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	3,272
Manufacturing	263
Mining	68
Construction	157
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	221
Wholesale & Retail Trade	899
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	194
Services & Miscellaneous	436
Government	1,035
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	4,661
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$25,645
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$92,036
Savings & Loan Assets	102,082
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$94,156
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$62,828
Deming	49,353

McKinley

Situated on the New Mexico–Arizona border, McKinley County lies on the southeastern portion of the Colorado Plateau with elevations ranging from 6,000 to 9,150 feet. The terrain varies from pine-forested mountain regions to the grassland and brushland of the lower mesas. Erosion has played an important part in shaping the landscape of this semiarid region exposing sandstone cliffs and cutting deep arroyos in the high mesas. Because portions of the Navajo and Zuni reservations are located within the county, more than 60 percent of the land is Indian-owned. McKinley is the only New Mexico county in which Native Americans are in the majority; approximately 65 percent of the population is Indian. The economic base of the county is provided by the mining, government, trade and services sectors. McKinley is an energy-rich county producing uranium, coal, natural gas and petroleum. Until the recent recession, mining activity had increased dramatically in response to national energy problems. The government sector is also an important component of the county's economy because of the federal monies directed toward improvement of conditions of the Native American population. The tourist-related trade and services sectors form another important part of the McKinley economy, especially in Gallup, the largest community in the county.

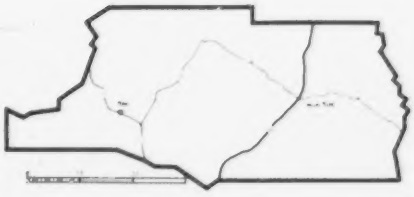




COUNTY: McKinley	
COUNTY SEAT: Gallup	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	5,442
POPULATION	
County, 1982	61,300
County, 1980	56,536
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	10.4
Gallup	18,167
Thoreau	1,099
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	14,910
Deaths	3,719
Natural Increase	11,191
Inferred Net Migration	2,137
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	11,953
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.0
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,170
Median Family, 1979	12,875
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	33.2
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	8.1
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	34.7
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	12.2
JOBS, 1982	
Total	16,905
Manufacturing	742
Mining	2,727
Construction	928
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	896
Wholesale & Retail Trade	4,026
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	370
Services & Miscellaneous	2,319
Government	4,898
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	16,735
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 9,988
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$184,550
Savings & Loan Assets	26,637
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$318,920
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$350,751
Gallup	217,631

Mora

The rugged, scenic Sangre de Cristo Mountains in the western portion of Mora County gradually level off to a high grassy plain. The eastern boundary of the county is formed by the steep-sided Canadian River Canyon; scattered peaks and ridges occasionally rise out of the otherwise flat plains. Large scale ranching operations on the plains constitute virtually the only nongovernmental revenue source in Mora, but these big ranches contribute little to the county's economy. For many years Mora County has experienced declining employment and population, erosion of its economic base, and low per capita income. Governmental expenditures constitute the principal source of income in the county, mostly in the form of transfer payments (Social Security and welfare). Health, social services, and education. Wagon Mound, located on Interstate 25, is the largest community in the county with a 1980 population of 416 people.

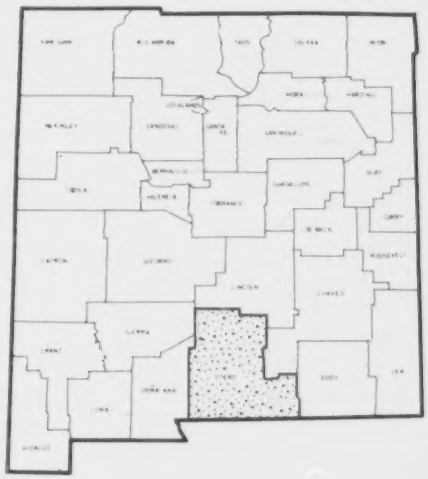


COUNTY: Mora	
COUNTY SEAT: Mora	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	1,930
POPULATION	
County, 1982	4,400
County, 1980	4,205
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	2.2
Wagon Mound	416
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	737
Deaths	417
Natural Increase	320
Inferred Net Migration	-788
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	971
Median School Years Completed, 1980	11.0
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 3,824
Median Family, 1979	8,608
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	36.9
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	7.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	32.8
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	31.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	457
Manufacturing	*
Mining	0
Construction	30
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	37
Wholesale & Retail Trade	34
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	*
Services & Miscellaneous	50
Government	306
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	0
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,325
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 8,861
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	na
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$11,923
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 2,702

Otero

Otero County, located in the south-central portion of the state, is New Mexico's second largest county in terms of land area. The terrain varies from pine-forested mountains in the north and east to the semi-arid plains in the southwest. Elevations range from 12,000 to 3,600 feet. A lava flow extending south from Lincoln County covers much of the northwestern quadrant while the gypsum dunes of White Sands National Monument continue southward from the lava flow. The federal government owns 68 percent of the land, with another 11 percent in the Mescalero Apache Reservation. The federal government plays a major role in the county's economy through expenditures connected with the operation of White Sands Missile Range, Holloman Air Force Base and to a lesser extent the Mescalero Reservation and Lincoln National Forest. Tourist-related activity and light manufacturing contribute to the economic base. Alamogordo is the largest community and county seat.

COUNTY: Otero	
COUNTY SEAT: Alamogordo	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	6,626
POPULATION	
County, 1982	47,700
County, 1980	44,665
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	6.7
Alamogordo	24,024
Holloman AFB	7,245
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	9,788
Deaths	2,405
Natural Increase	7,383
Inferred Net Migration	-3,815
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	8,375
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.6
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,881
Median Family, 1979	14,711
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	11.6
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.4
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	9.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	8.1
JOBS, 1982	
Total	13,546
Manufacturing	1,017
Mining	*
Construction	775
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	686
Wholesale & Retail Trade	3,119
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	494
Services & Miscellaneous	2,892
Government	4,564
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 1,177
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,387
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 8,580
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 161,507
Savings & Loan Assets	182,939
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 164,251
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 149,415
Alamogordo	132,532



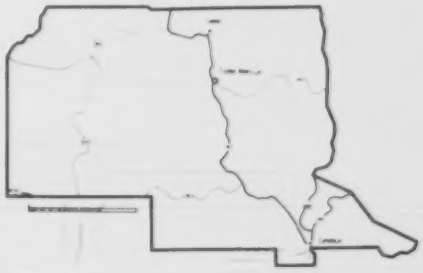
Quay

Located in the north-central region of the state's eastern border with Texas, the landscape of Quay County generally consists of grassy mesas and rolling plains cut by numerous arroyos and canyons. The Canadian River which flows from west to east across the northern part of the county has been dammed to form Ute Reservoir, the most important tourist attraction in the county. Tourism is also relatively important to the Quay economy because of the county's proximity to Conchas Reservoir and the location of Interstate 40 which spans the entire width of the county. Despite the importance of tourist-related activities, the economy is largely dependent on agriculture and, consequently, income fluctuates substantially because of dependence upon weather and market conditions. Transfer payments and state governmental expenditures constitute another important source of income to county residents, 64 percent of whom live in Tucumcari. The railroad, once an important element of the Tucumcari economy, has been gradually replaced by the highway, first U.S. 66, now upgraded to Interstate 40.

COUNTY: Quay	
COUNTY SEAT: Tucumcari	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,874
POPULATION	
County, 1982	10,400
County, 1980	10,577
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	3.7
Tucumcari	6,765
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	1,796
Deaths	1,306
Natural Increase	490
Inferred Net Migration	-816
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,170
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.3
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,427
Median Family, 1979	14,390
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	15.3
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	10.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	9.1
JOBS, 1982	
Total	2,968
Manufacturing	111
Mining	0
Construction	131
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	255
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,000
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	117
Services & Miscellaneous	596
Government	759
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 257
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	2,905
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 26,194
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 78,229
Savings & Loan Assets	17,202
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 37,899
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 56,312
Tucumcari	42,299

Rio Arriba

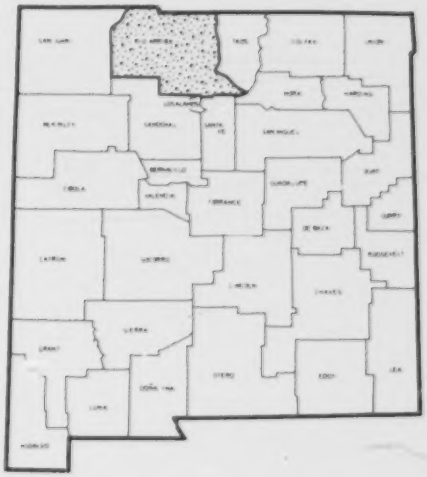
One of New Mexico's larger counties, Rio Arriba borders Colorado on the north. The Continental Divide splits the county in a north-south direction. To the east are mountains, foothills, narrow river valleys and generally broken terrain. To the west, the foothills give way to a semiarid plateau characterized by high mesas, sheer sandstone cliffs and formations, dry washes and canyons. The San Juan River, dammed to create Navajo Reservoir, forms the northwestern boundary of the county. The Jicarilla Apache Reservation and a portion of Carson National Forest occupy much of the land along and to the west of the Divide. More than half the land is federally-owned. The Forest Service manages two wilderness areas and the national forests in which they are located. Economically, Rio Arriba is one of New Mexico's depressed, agriculturally based northern counties. The 1980 population of 29,282 remains virtually unchanged from the 1940 level of 25,352. Government spending in the form of construction projects, transfer payments, and wages has surpassed agriculture as the most important source of personal income in the county. Tourism and some mining (petroleum and natural gas) provide additional economic activity.



COUNTY: Rio Arriba

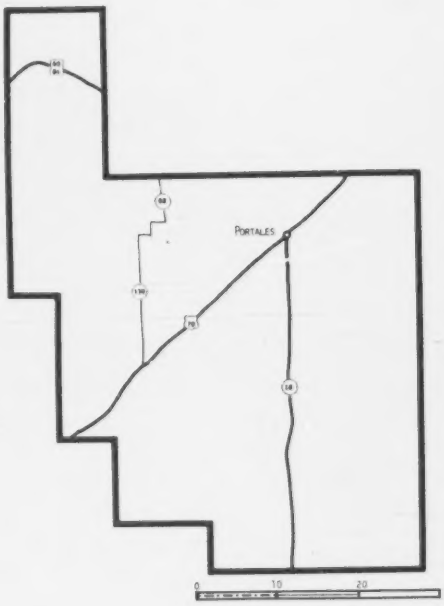
COUNTY SEAT: Tierra Amarilla

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	5,856
POPULATION	
County, 1982	30,200
County, 1980	29,282
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	5.0
Chama	1,090
Espanola	6,803
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	6,494
Deaths	2,291
Natural Increase	4,203
Inferred Net Migration	-91
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	7,056
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,275
Median Family, 1979	11,699
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	25.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	5.2
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	28.5
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	20.4
JOBS, 1982	
Total	5,833
Manufacturing	143
Mining	19
Construction	285
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	300
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,052
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	212
Services & Miscellaneous	1,371
Government	2,454
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	2,474
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 11,701
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 111,453
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 305,984
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 78,658
Espanola	59,857



Roosevelt

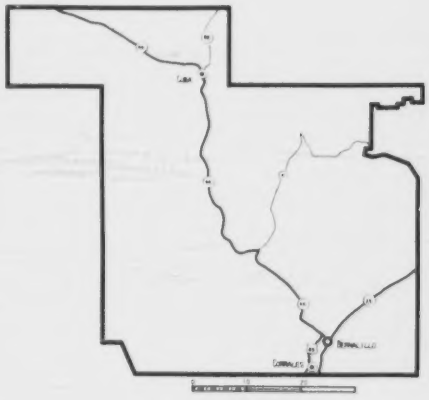
Roosevelt County is located near the middle of the Texas–New Mexico border in a region known as the Southern High Plains or the "Llano Estacado." A ridge or caprock running along the western border of the county also defines the western boundary of the Southern High Plains in many instances. From the caprock in the west where elevations average about 4,600 feet, a plain slopes gradually toward the Texas border where elevations average about 4,100 feet. As in most of the eastern counties, agriculture, particularly livestock production, is the predominant income-producing activity. However, substantial quantities of crops are grown on the county's irrigated farmland; the once-dominant cotton crop has now been replaced by grains (sorghum, wheat and corn) and peanuts. In addition to agriculture, government spending, mainly in connection with Eastern New Mexico University, is become increasingly important. ENMU is located in Portales, the most populous community and seat of county government.

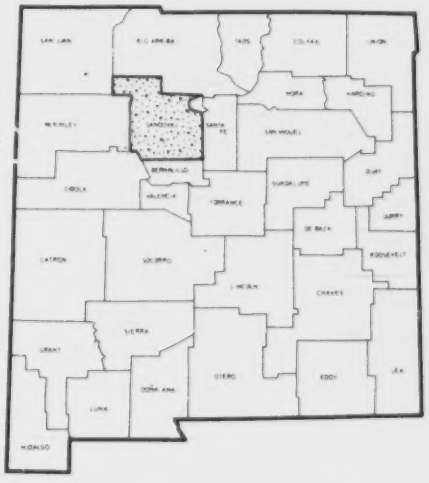


COUNTY: Roosevelt	
COUNTY SEAT: Portales	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,453
POPULATION	
County, 1982	16,100
County, 1980	15,695
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	6.4
Portales	9,940
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	2,806
Deaths	1,418
Natural Increase	1,388
Inferred Net Migration	-2,172
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,951
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.5
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 7,472
Median Family, 1979	12,178
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	21.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	9.4
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	16.2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	4.8
JOBS, 1982	
Total	4,497
Manufacturing	273
Mining	33
Construction	128
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	221
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,136
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	121
Services & Miscellaneous	408
Government	2,177
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	0
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	1,743
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 60,044
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 94,661
Savings & Loan Assets	32,396
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 84,043
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 57,004
Portales	51,968

Sandoval

Sandoval County is located in the north-central portion of the state, with Bernalillo County on its southern border. The Rio Grande traverses the southeastern corner of the county entering through the narrow, precipitous White Rock Canyon. Below the canyon, the river is dammed to form Cochiti Reservoir, south of which the economic and population center of the county is located. The Jemez Mountains of the Santa Fe National Forest dominate the landscape of the northeast quadrant, while the terrain of the rest of the county consists of semiarid, high mesas, dry washes, and arroyos. Economically, Sandoval County is one of New Mexico's depressed counties. This situation is gradually changing because a growing proportion of the county's population live in communities located near the Bernalillo–Sandoval County line and work in Albuquerque. Partially because of the population influx to this area Sandoval County experienced a 96.7 percent increase in population from 1970 to 1980. This was the highest population growth rate of any New Mexico county over the period. In spite of this, however, the economy of the rest of the county remains much the same. Government provides the major source of personal income, augmented by logging and sawmill operations, ranching and mining. Indians, traditionally the most impoverished group in the U.S., comprised approximately 27 percent of the county's 1980 population.





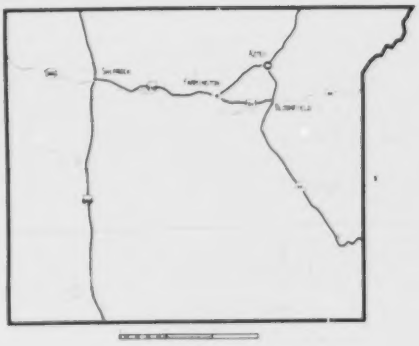
COUNTY: Sandoval

COUNTY SEAT: Bernalillo

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,707
POPULATION	
County, 1982	35,200
County, 1980	34,400
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	9.3
Bernalillo	2,988
Corrales	2,791
Rio Rancho Estates	9,985
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	5,211
Deaths	1,897
Natural Increase	3,314
Inferred Net Migration	13,594
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	4,185
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.5
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 5,295
Median Family, 1979	15,791
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	14.4
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.9
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	21.2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	5.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	4,127
Manufacturing	587
Mining	21
Construction	475
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	186
Wholesale & Retail Trade	583
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	261
Services & Miscellaneous	766
Government	1,248
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 1,453
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	2,586
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 6,820
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 54,774
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 166,480
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 41,851
Rio Rancho	14,807

San Juan

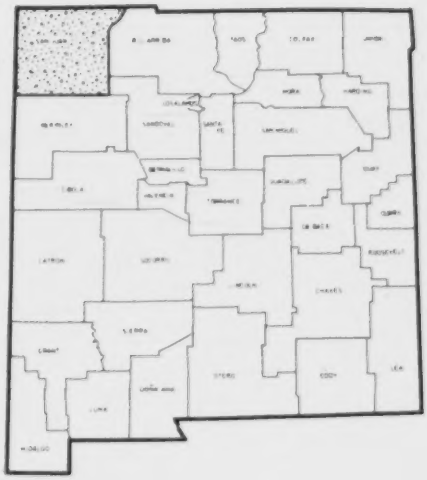
San Juan County forms the northwestern corner of the state, bordering Arizona, Utah and Colorado. This location, known as Four Corners, is the only place in the U.S. where four states meet at one point. Situated on the Colorado Plateau, extensive erosion has created the mesas, deep canyons, dry washes, protruding volcanic rocks and buttes which characterize the semi-arid region. The San Juan River flows from Colorado to the Navajo Reservoir in the northern part of the county and eventually empties into the Colorado River. Nearly 80 percent of the land is held by the Navajo Nation and another 29 percent is federally owned. Mineral production, particularly coal, natural gas and petroleum, is the principal economic activity. As a consequence of energy development in the 1970s, the county's economy underwent rapid growth accompanied by population increases. Additionally, massive reserves of low-sulfur coal were tapped for electric generation. However, the recession of the early 1980s and its adverse effect on the oil and gas industry caused a slowdown in economic growth and an increase in unemployment rates. Some plans call for much more extensive development of the field, possibly to supply plants converting the coal to natural gas. Although energy production is the cornerstone of the San Juan economy, government spending, tourism, and Farmington's position as a regional trade and service center are also important to the county's economic base. The population increased 55.1 percent between 1970 and 1980, which was the second highest rate in New Mexico.



COUNTY: San Juan

COUNTY SEAT: Aztec

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	5,522
POPULATION	
County, 1982	92,500
County, 1980	81,433
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	14.7
Aztec	5,512
Bloomfield	4,881
Farmington	31,222
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	15,912
Deaths	3,965
Natural Increase	11,947
Inferred Net Migration	16,969
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	18,189
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,832
Median Family, 1979	18,815
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	16.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.9
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	15.3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	10.8
JOBS, 1982	
Total	31,076
Manufacturing	1,499
Mining	4,345
Construction	4,075
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	4,164
Wholesale & Retail Trade	6,119
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	836
Services & Miscellaneous	5,025
Government	5,012
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	4,889
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,719
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 9,055
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 380,154
Savings & Loan Assets	110,181
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$1,251,204
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 394,805
Farmington	305,592



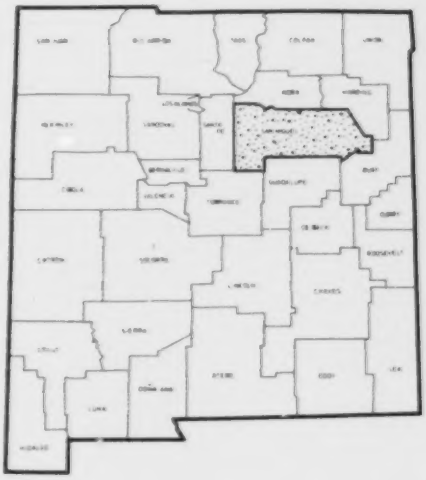
San Miguel

The terrain of San Miguel County varies widely from 11,800-foot peaks in the rugged Sangre de Cristo Mountains in the western portion, to broad, flat plains of less than 4,000 feet in the east. Between the mountains and the plains is another distinct region known as the Las Vegas Plateau, while Glorieta Mesa in the southwestern corner represents still another distinct zone. The sources of the Pecos River and its tributaries are located in the Sangre de Cristos and flow in a southeasterly direction. The Canadian River has been dammed to form Conchas Reservoir. Like many rural New Mexico counties, the economy and population of San Miguel have been gradually declining. Particularly hard hit have been the small communities in the west which depended upon subsistence farming and seasonal work. Agriculture has employed fewer people as production has shifted from crops to less labor-intensive cattle ranching operations. Government spending is currently the largest component of personal income, particularly state spending at Highlands University and the New Mexico State Hospital both of which are located in Las Vegas. Las Vegas, the largest community and county seat, is located on Interstate 25.

COUNTY: San Miguel

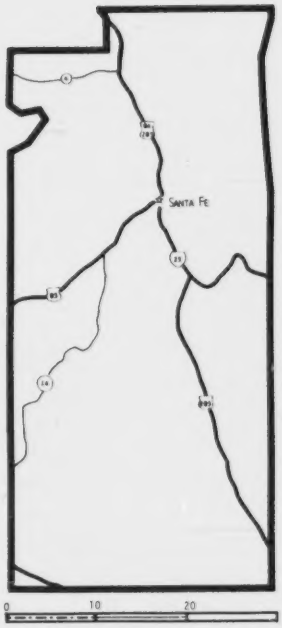
COUNTY SEAT: Las Vegas

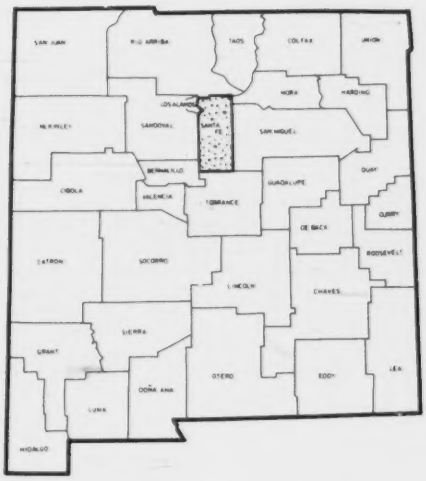
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,709
POPULATION	
County, 1982	24,600
County, 1980	22,751
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	4.8
Pecos	885
Las Vegas City	14,322
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	4,508
Deaths	1,979
Natural Increase	2,529
Inferred Net Migration	-1,729
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	4,667
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 5,321
Median Family, 1979	10,841
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	26.9
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	8.4
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	25.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	12.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	6,280
Manufacturing	65
Mining	*
Construction	379
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	175
Wholesale & Retail Trade	980
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	192
Services & Miscellaneous	749
Government	3,740
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 73
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	4,660
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 15,280
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 101,921
Savings & Loan Assets	31,883
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 62,625
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 62,702
Las Vegas	58,154



Santa Fe

The terrain in the southwest corner of Santa Fe County consists primarily of plains. The rest of the county can be characterized as mountainous, generally sloping westward from the lofty peaks of the Sangre de Cristo Mountains (elevation 12,600+ feet) in the east to the Rio Grande in the west. Santa Fe County is relatively prosperous in comparison with other northern counties. The City of Santa Fe, New Mexico's state capital, almost wholly dominates the county's economy. In turn the city's economic well-being is related to state government and tourism. Unlike neighboring counties, employment opportunities have been steadily expanding in Santa Fe because of growth in state government. The county also has many tourist attractions including the Santa Fe National Forest and its Pecos Wilderness, Santa Fe Ski Basin, the Santa Fe Opera, the Santa Fe art community, Santa Fe Downs, and the unique tricultural character of the city. Santa Fe has been New Mexico's capital since the early 1600s and it is also the state's second largest city with a 1980 population of 49,160.





COUNTY: Santa Fe

COUNTY SEAT: Santa Fe

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	1,905
POPULATION	
County, 1982	78,400
County, 1980	75,360
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	39.6
Santa Fe	49,160
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	11,177
Deaths	4,223
Natural Increase	6,954
Inferred Net Migration	13,632
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	11,741
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.8
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 9,130
Median Family, 1979	18,619
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	11.2
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.5
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	9.0
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	6.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	30,361
Manufacturing	1,299
Mining	170
Construction	2,190
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	1,030
Wholesale & Retail Trade	6,525
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	1,387
Services & Miscellaneous	7,731
Government	10,030
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,780
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 9,699
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 522,072
Savings & Loan Assets	76,712
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 294,191
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 428,818
Santa Fe	395,832
Espanola	8,854

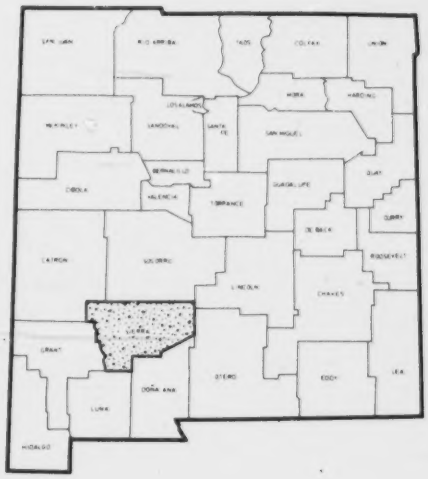
Sierra

Sierra County is located in the southwest quadrant of the state. The Rio Grande, which bisects the county from north to south, lies at the base of a trough formed by parallel mountain ranges along the eastern and western borders. The river is dammed at two points within the county, forming two of the largest reservoirs in the state, Elephant Butte and Caballo. Gold and silver discovered in the western mountains led to original development, but the rich deposits were quickly depleted and the area largely abandoned. Now income is derived chiefly from the sizable retired community residing in Truth or Consequences, the largest town and county seat. Government spending and tourism, mostly associated with the county's two manmade lakes, are also important aspects of the Sierra County economy.

COUNTY: Sierra

COUNTY SEAT: Truth or Consequences

LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	4,178
POPULATION	
County, 1982	8,900
County, 1980	8,454
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	2.0
Truth or Consequences	5,219
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	889
Deaths	1,449
Natural Increase	-560
Inferred Net Migration	1,825
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	1,354
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.1
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 8,046
Median Family, 1979	10,350
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	18.9
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.5
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	14.0
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	6.3
JOBS, 1982	
Total	1,627
Manufacturing	*
Mining	*
Construction	96
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	75
Wholesale & Retail Trade	436
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	74
Services & Miscellaneous	473
Government	473
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	7,910
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 11,099
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 52,470
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 52,968
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 25,580
Truth or Consequences	21,348



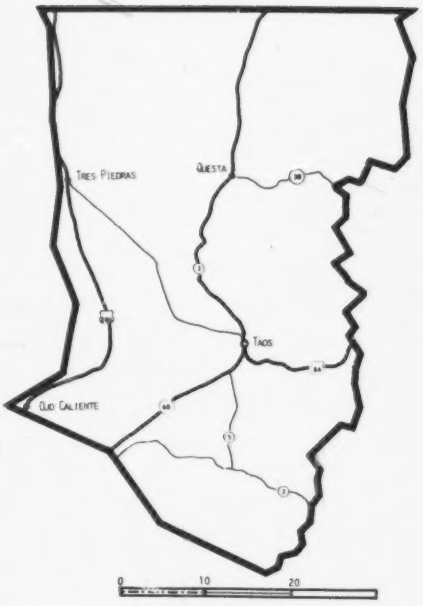
Socorro

The terrain of New Mexico's third largest county consists of semiarid plains interrupted by four mountain ranges. Socorro County is roughly divided by the Rio Grande along which virtually all the population is distributed in numerous small farming communities. Economically, the county reached its zenith around the turn of the century when wagon trains laden with ore mined from the surrounding mountains filled the streets of Socorro. The livestock industry was also thriving at that time. Magdalena, a town located approximately 25 miles west of the river, was the largest cattle and wool shipping point in the state and one of the major stock centers in the country. By 1920, the mines were depleted, the cattle boom was over, and the economy gradually declined. Population in the county, however, has remained stable at about 10,000 since the early 1900s, increasing recently to just over 12,500. The Socorro County economy is currently based chiefly on government spending, particularly state spending in connection with the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology. The location of the institute attests to the county's former prominence in the mineral industry. In addition, Interstate 25 which parallels the Rio Grande provides the county with some tourist-related income.

COUNTY: Socorro	
COUNTY SEAT: Socorro	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	6,625
POPULATION	
County, 1982	14,400
County, 1980	12,566
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	1.9
Magdalena	1,022
Socorro	7,173
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	2,265
Deaths	923
Natural Increase	1,342
Inferred Net Migration	1,461
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,126
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 5,474
Median Family, 1979	12,219
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	22.2
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	5.7
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	27.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	9.6
JOBS, 1982	
Total	3,663
Manufacturing	69
Mining	*
Construction	158
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	145
Wholesale & Retail Trade	591
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	114
Services & Miscellaneous	714
Government	1,873
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 2,215
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	6,163
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 17,365
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assests	$ 48,826
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 42,356
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 34,045
Socorro	29,688

Taos

Located centrally on the state's northern border, Taos County has some of the most spectacular scenery in New Mexico. The lofty peaks of the Sangre de Cristo Mountains in the east are set off by a broad high plateau occupying the central and western portion of the county. The Rio Grande traverses the plateau, twisting and tumbling through the deeply incised, walled canyon of the Rio Grande Gorge. The sources of numerous tributaries are located in the mountains which eventually join the Rio Grande to the west. Typical of New Mexico's northern mountainous counties, agriculture was once the chief source of income for the predominantly Hispanic population, but the shift to more capital-intensive farming techniques has virtually eliminated this source of income. Tourist-related activity currently provides one major source of income. Attractions include the Carson National Forest, the Rio Grande Gorge, several ski resort areas, and the town of Taos Pueblo and its highly reputed art community. Mining of molybdenum and perlite also contribute to the county's economic base.



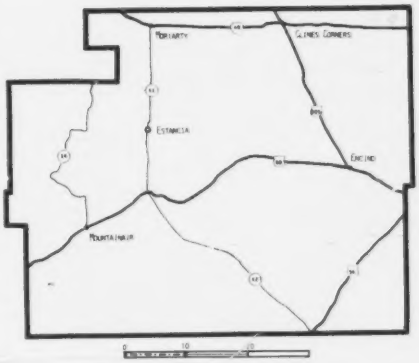
COUNTY: Taos

COUNTY SEAT: Taos

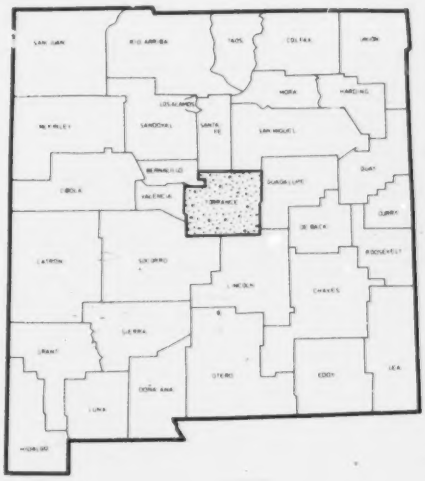
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	2,204
POPULATION	
County, 1982	20,200
County, 1980	19,456
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	8.8
Questa	1,202
Red River	332
Taos	3,369
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	3,749
Deaths	1,478
Natural Increase	2,271
Inferred Net Migration	-331
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	4,868
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,779
Median Family, 1979	12,089
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	24.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	5.0
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	24.3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	16.9
JOBS, 1982	
Total	6,485
Manufacturing	389
Mining	*
Construction	407
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	191
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,380
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	250
Services & Miscellaneous	2,583
Government	1,285
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 45,181
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	901
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 1,384
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 73,615
Savings & Loan Assets	6,422
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 96,942
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 91,800
Taos	65,278

Torrance

Torrance County is located in the central portion of the state, bounded on the west by the Manzano Mountains. The open rolling plains which dominate the remainder of the county are broken by scattered ridges and mesas in the south and east. Most of the county lies in one of three topographically closed basins, principally the Estancia Basin. Torrance is a rural county; no community in the county has more than 1,300 people. Its economy, once based almost wholly on agriculture, now is mostly dominated by state and local government spending. In the 1940s, Torrance was the pinto bean capital of the world. However, drought and weakening demand have almost eliminated the spotted bean as a cash crop. Potatoes have also been an important cash crop at times. Cattle raising now dominates the agriculture sector. The county's population reached a peak of 11,026 in 1940, but by 1970 the number had declined to 5,290. The 1980 population of 7,491 indicates renewed activity and growth.

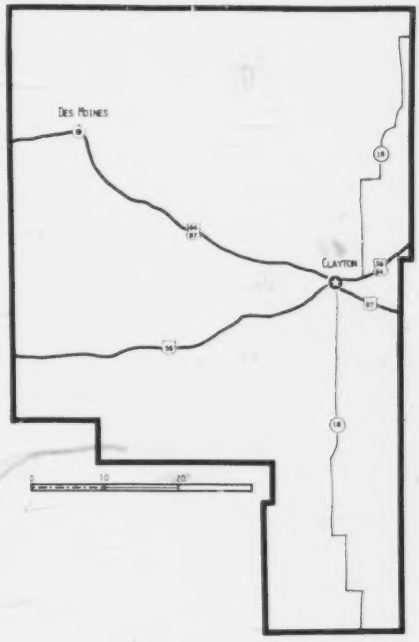


COUNTY: Torrance	
COUNTY SEAT: Estancia	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,335
POPULATION	
County, 1982	7,900
County, 1980	7,491
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	2.2
Estancia	830
Moriarty	1,276
Mountainair	1,170
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	964
Deaths	506
Natural Increase	458
Inferred Net Migration	1,773
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	2,331
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.2
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,011
Median Family, 1979	11,978
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	19.7
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	4.1
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	22.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	6.0
JOBS, 1982	
Total	1,255
Manufacturing	42
Mining	*
Construction	47
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	90
Wholesale & Retail Trade	395
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	24
Services & Miscellaneous	85
Government	572
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	$ 13
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	3,828
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 13,717
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	na
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 40,982
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 19,909



Union

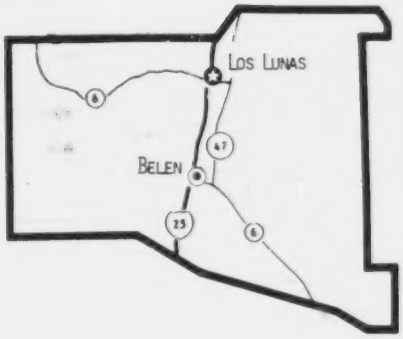
Union County forms the northeast corner of the state, bordering Colorado on the north, and Oklahoma and Texas on the east. High mesas, deep canyons and desiccated plateaus interrupted by occasional volcanic mountains define the terrain in the northwest portion of the county. Plains dominate the south and east broken only by scattered hills and intermittent arroyos. The grassy plains are well suited to cattle ranching which directly or indirectly provides virtually all of the nongovernmental revenue and employment. Despite its heavy reliance on agriculture, Union County is relatively prosperous. Although income is subject to substantial fluctuation because of its dependence on range and market conditions, it is generally high. The number of unemployed persons is usually small despite declines in the number of available agricultural jobs. At least part of the Union's prosperity is attributable to a consistently declining population; latest estimates indicate the population has shrunk to 4,725, or about one third of the 1920 level. Clayton, a town of 2,968, is the county seat and major community in the county.



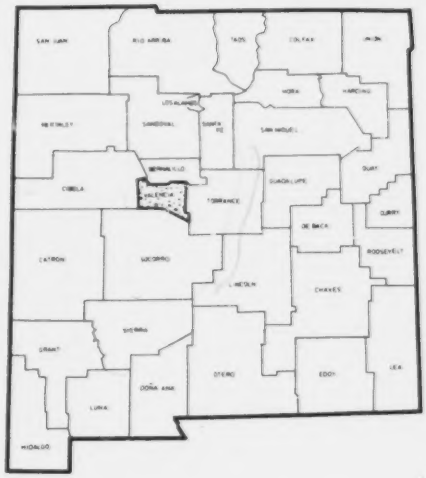
COUNTY: Union	
COUNTY SEAT: Clayton	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	3,830
POPULATION	
County, 1982	5,200
County, 1980	4,725
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	1.2
Clayton	2,968
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	748
Deaths	579
Natural Increase	169
Inferred Net Migration	-393
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	1,053
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.3
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 4,411
Median Family, 1979	13,149
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	19.1
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	2.2
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	12.3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	7.2
JOBS, 1982	
Total	1,222
Manufacturing	24
Mining	48
Construction	52
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	82
Wholesale & Retail Trade	321
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	83
Services & Miscellaneous	243
Government	371
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	5,169
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 83,735
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 77,562
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 22,348
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 17,272
Clayton	15,091

Valencia

Valencia County is located in the west central portion of the state, bounded by Cibola County to the west and the Manzano Mountains to the east. Prior to July 1981 the county was over three times larger in area, extending west to the Arizona border and north to McKinley County. In that year the state legislature created Cibola County, carving it from the western portion of "old" Valencia County and reducing "new" Valencia to one of the smallest New Mexico counties in terms of land area. The Rio Grande traverses the middle portion of the county, flowing through a valley formed by the Manzano Mountains on the east and a mesa on the west. The population is concentrated along the flood plain of the Rio Grande. The economy here is largely dependent upon residents who commute to jobs in Albuquerque or work in the Santa Fe Railroad shops in Belen. However, the government sector is the largest provider of jobs within the county itself. In accordance with the current county boundaries, Valencia's 1980 population was estimated at 30,768 persons.



COUNTY: Valencia*	
COUNTY SEAT: Los Lunas	
LAND AREA (Sq. Miles)	1,478
POPULATION	
County, 1982	31,400
County, 1980	61,115
Density (Persons per sq. mile)	41.3
Belen	5,617
Rio Communities	2,089
Bosque Farms	3,353
Los Lunas	3,525
VITAL STATISTICS, 1970 - 1980	
Births	10,332
Deaths	3,270
Natural Increase	7,062
Inferred Net Migration	13,477
EDUCATION	
Public School Enrollment, 1981 - 1982	7,062
Median School Years Completed, 1980	12.4
INCOME	
Per Capita, 1981	$ 6,932
Median Family, 1979	17,832
POVERTY & WELFARE	
% of Families Below Poverty, 1979	12.4
% of Persons Receiving Financial Assistance, 1982	3.8
% of Persons Receiving Food Stamps, 1982	12.1
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, 1982 (percent)	10.1
JOBS, 1982	
Total	5,976
Manufacturing	75
Mining	*
Construction	350
Transportation, Communications & Utilities	594
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,257
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	368
Services & Miscellaneous	682
Government	2,650
MINING, 1980 (000s)	
Value of Nonfuel Mineral Production	W
AGRICULTURE, 1978	
Average Farm Size (acres)	4,022
Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold (000s)	$ 13,235
FINANCE, 1982 (000s)	
Bank Assets	$ 127,989
Savings & Loan Assets	na
NET TAXABLE VALUE, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 127,681
RETAIL SALES, 1982 (000s)	
County	$ 78,507



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